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A CARD.

We wish to express our heart-felt gratitude to the many kind friends who rendered such efficient and loving services to us in our recent bereavement in the death of our dear mother. We wish to thank the church and the different societies for the beautiful flowers given.

MISS LUCY HALL.
MRS. EMMA HALL.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices will be inserted for 10 cents per line each insertion.

The Templar Bicycle $100 00, as good as there is for the money. Wm. C. Leavitt sells them.

Ladies, read Mrs. Hills' new ad.

Largest variety of sporting goods in town at Stone's.

Get your dog collars engraved at Horace Cole's.

Have you tried the Pie Preparation at H. J. Bangs'.

The tires on the Warwick can be repaired in five minutes. Wm. C. Leavitt agent.

Read Hills' new ad.

Call at Noyes Andrews' and look at their new parasols.

Canned apple and fancy evaporated apple at H. J. Bangs'.

Sewing machine needles of all kinds at Horace Cole's jewelry store.

The bearings on the Warwick are absolutely dust proof. Wm. C. Leavitt agent.

The best ready mixed paint at Stone's Drug Store.

Oh, yes, Hills is in the bicycle business, no matter if others have told you to the contrary. He will sell you sundries at his discount from list prices. See ad. and get prices.

Men's overshirts, underwear, hosiery, neckwear, collars, cuffs, suspenders, collar buttons, cuff buttons, and all kinds of furnishings at Noyes & Andrews'.

You can get your watches repaired at Horace Cole's, the jeweler's, Norway.

"Acme" pulverizing harrow, clod crusher and leveler, as now made, is a general purpose harrow that does the whole business from start to finish, viz., it cuts, lifts, turns, crushes, pulverizes, levels and smooths, all in one operation. It is made entirely of cast steel and wrought iron, practically indestructible, and, withal, is the cheapest utility harrow on earth. Have not a few style about 40 per cent. less than old styles; in fact, it sells for about the same as an ordinary drag. Duane H. Nash, Sole Mfr., New Jersey. Dennis Pike, Agent, Norway, Me.

You can find some bargains in room paper and borders at Stone's.

Buy your gloves and corsets at Noyes & Andrews'.

A trade in ketchup at H. J. Bangs'.

Blood oranges, sweet potatoes, Bermuda onions, cocoanuts at H. J. Bangs'.

Prof. Lane of Saco, the piano tuner, will be here May 10. Orders can be left with Horace Cole.

Noyes & Andrews are closing out their white cotton underwear at cost.

The Warwick Bicycle is the best wearing machine built. Wm. C. Leavitt agent.

Ladies, for the largest assortment of millinery in town, go to Mrs. Hills. You will find two trimmers.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Solomon I. Millett has been appointed surveyor of roads in the village district.

All the schools but the Upper and Lower Primary close this Thursday. The other two will close Friday.

John L. Horne is visiting in Massachusetts this week. He will visit Salem and Weymouth. Mrs. Horne has been in Salem for several months past.

Mrs. D. W. Mahoney, wife of the manager of the Atkinson House Furnishing store at Norway, is very sick with consumption at her home in Portland.

Mrs. A. E. Morrison is sick with typhoid fever at Rumford Falls. The two children are stopping with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Howe.

The first string beans of the season in this vicinity were raised by Minnie Cox. They are good sized, thrifty looking beans.

The friends of Mamie Knowland in this vicinity will be pleased to learn that her examinations in March at the Salem Normal School were so good that she has entered the Lynn Training School for teachers, and for several weeks during the sickness of one of the instructors she had charge of one of the primary schools. She performed her duties so well and gave such excellent satisfaction that she will probably be offered a permanent situation as teacher in the autumn.

A. J. Nevers is painting the outside of his store.

Mrs. Eliza Robbins, over 80 years of age is cutting her third set of teeth.

Frank Knapp from Island Pond, Vt., is the new barber at A. L. Cook's.

C. H. George of Hebron was in town Tue day.

There was a large attendance of Odd Fellows at the Methodist church Sunday, to listen to the annual sermon.

Dean C. Seitz is now working on the New York World. He has the entire management of the Brooklyn edition.

W. H. Whitcomb and daughter, also S. D. Andrews have gone to the Columbian Exposition at Chicago. They will go to Oconto, Wis., before their return.

A. P. Bassett has been appointed deputy sheriff for Cumberland County, also he has been appointed coroner for this county.

"Who is the highest official in the United States?" asked one of the primary teachers at her scholars. "Gene Smith," was the prompt reply.

Mr. G. W. Stearns, who has been serving his apprenticeship with M. P. Libby, has returned to Rumford, where she will engage in the millinery business.

H. D. Cole, who has recently graduated from the Chicago Horological College, is soon to return home. He has been there or the past six or eight months and he has taken a full course and has also graduated from the optical school.

Welington Hobbs Camp, S. of V., were inspected by Lieut. F. A. Lapham of Lewiston last Thursday evening. Every thing was found to be in good shape and the Camp in a prosperous condition. There are 29 active members. Meetings are held in Ryerson Hall.

Dr. E. H. Cook has returned from Gainsville, Fla., and is to resume practice here. The doctor is in fairly good flesh and seems to have wintered fairly well in the south. His wife and wife's folks have not returned yet as they have some crops growing there that will claim their attention for some weeks.

Fred Jummings, Geo. Stephenson, the canoe builder, and Mellie Dunham recently put one of their canoes in the river back of Cummings' mill and went down river into the town of Oxford. They floated at the mouth of Cold Water brook and caught 25 trout which they cooked on dinner. They paddled their canoe up stream and considered they had a good day's sport.

Uncle Albert Sanborn called on us one day this week and said, "I'm going to settle up my affairs as much as possible, I'm past y well along in years and am liable to go most any time. I want you to put it in print." In your paper as I want to sell it at house. I'll give a man a good trade on it. It is rented and is paying the interest on $1200 and that is a good deal more than I should ask for it. I'm going to close up my affairs." Mr. Sanborn is well preserved man for an octogenarian and he takes a sensible view of matter.

Charlie Pike died at his residence last Saturday after a long and painful illness from cancer in the face. For the past three years the deceased was under careful medical treatment, but only temporary relief could be had. Mr. Pike was born in Oxford May 6, 1827. He was a brother to the late Prescott Pike of that town. He has one brother, John Pike of Cape Elizabeth, and a sister, Mrs. Susan P. Kelley of this town, now living. The deceased earned the carpenter's trade of the late Granville L. Reed of this town and has built a good many houses in this and adjoining towns. He has been considered an extra good workman and always found plenty to do. Mr. Pike served three years in the 29th Maine Regiment. About half this time he was a member of Chandler's Band. He was a member of Harry Hunt Post, G. A. R., and was buried with military honors last Monday. He leaves a widow and three sons.

Considerable interest is manifested here in the appearance of the Berlin Opera Co. next week. It is seldom that a company of fifty members appears in country towns, on account of travelling expenses, and the small stages generally found in country halls being totally unfit for such a performance. Then, too, opera is the most expensive form of entertainment, and few have the courage to undertake it, even if the unusual talent is at hand. "Pinafore" has cost the Berlin people over $300 thus far, but the company are in for the mutual entertainment of themselves and their audiences, and spare no expense to make a first-class production in every way. Tickets can be had at Stone's Drug Store, being put on sale Saturday morning. Persons out of town can order tickets by mail, and they will be held for them until 7 o'clock of the evening of the performance, when they will be sold at the door if not called for before that time.

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Spring and Summer Trade
WITH ONE OF THE BEST STOCKS OF
Men's and Boy's Clothing,
AND
Gents' Furnishings.
Before you buy your new clothing you are invited to call and look over our stock and get prices. Yours, Respectfully,
J. W. SWAN & Co.,
(Formerly F. H. NOYES & CO.)
Norway, - - - - - Maine.

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OF
FASHIONABLE MILLINERY
To be Found in Oxford County.
All the Latest Styles, Novelties in Trimmings, etc., to which will be added weekly, everything desirable in new Shapes and Novelties.
TRIMMING DEPARTMENT
In charge of TWO FIRST-CLASS TRIMMERS, MISS HILL, of Boston, and MRS. F. E. DRAKE, of Norway.
Call and see for yourself the Quality, Style, Make and Prices.
Mrs. V. W. HILLS, - - Norway, Me.

THE NORWAY LAUNDRY PRICE LIST.
127 Main St., Norway, Me.
[Keep this for reference, as it will appear only once.]

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.		LADIES' LIST.	
Shirts, plain	.10	Skirts	.20 to .40
Shirts with collars	.15	Chimises	.10
New Shirt	.15	Drawers	.10
Flannel Shirts	.08	Stockings	.09
Collars	.02	Night Dresses	.10 to .20
Cuffs, each	.02	Aprons	.05 to .10
Under Drawers	.08	Corset Covers	.05 to .10
Under Shirts	.08	HOUSEHOLD LIST.	
Night Shirts	.10	Towels	.04
Socks	.05	Napkins	.03
Handkerchiefs	.03	Table Cloths	.10 to .25
Neckties	.03	Sheets	.08
Coats	.15 to .25	Pillow Cases	.04
Vests	.20	Pillow Shams	.20 to .40
Pants	.25	Bed Spreads	.10 to .25
LADIES' LIST.		Blankets, single	.15
Cape Collars	.02	Curtains, lace per sq. yard	.10
Dresses, white	.10 to 1.00	Overalls	.15
" colored	.10 to .40	Frocks	.10
Waists	.10 to .25		

The above prices, except shirts, collars and cuffs, are when articles are brought single. We make a discount for work in lots.

Parties wishing their regular work done, should get prices at the Laundry. Ladies work is under the entire charge of lady assistants, who having had the experience of years at this kind of work, understand doing it in first-class style.

Ladies having white dresses, skirts, fancy waists, lace curtains, and all kinds of nice washing and ironing to do, will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We positively use no acids or leaching powder about our washing.

Our South Paris office is with C. W. BOWKER & CO., Dry and Fancy Goods dealers, Masonic Block, where work is called for and delivered every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

The season for May baskets has opened.

Mrs. A. L. Penley of Auburn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Julian Brown.

A drama is in preparation by the Universalist society to be given some time in May at Concert Hall.

O. A. Hayford of Hanover, was in town Thursday. He has been attending court at Paris Hill.

Calico Ball, Friday evening, May 5th, at Norway Opera House. This is under the charge of the ladies.

Irving Frost is arranging matters at his farm on Frost Hill. He is to sell or rent the place.

Town Clerk C. G. Mason has been up county on business the past week. His office was left in charge of Collector Lord.

Mellie Dunham takes out a license for breeding dogs. It costs him $10.00. We understand he is to get a collar for each of the dogs.

Commencing next Sunday the Universalist choir composed of Hattie Leach of South Paris, soprano; Mrs. J. C. True, contralto; F. A. Thayer of South Paris, tenor; E. W. Burlingame, basso; and Mrs. F. A. Danforth, organist.

H. I. Mason, manager of the Waterford Creamery Co. for the past four years, made us a pleasant call recently. He has sold his interest in the business there and seems to have wintered fairly well in the south. His wife and wife's folks have not returned yet as they have some crops growing there that will claim their attention for some weeks.

The Hoodlum at Norway Opera House, Wednesday evening, was a comedy of surprises. The audience was a growing one and kept increasing till at the end there was a very fair house. We think it must have been appreciated from the fact that all staid to the close. Much of the acting was very fine. The specialties were loudly applauded.

The following highway surveyors have been appointed for the ensuing year;

1 Village—Solom n I. Millett	17 Herbert P. Frost
2 Albert Richardson	18 Roswell Frost
3 Charles F. Millett	19 S. H. Millett
4 E. B. Tubbs	20 Asa D. Frost
5 T. D. Penley	21 Emerson Kilgore
6 Olen B Upton	22 Ansel S. Cushman
7 Chas. Patriquin	23 Rollin Town
8 Nathan M. Small	24 Chesley G. French
9 M. G. Richardson	25 Nathan M. York
10 L. A. Carter	26 E. S. Witt
11 Harry Greenleaf	27 Virgil H. Johnson
12 Walter S. Buck	28 A. M. Dunham
13 A. B. Farmer	29 Daniel Holt, 2d
14 John B. Hobbs	30 Joan. S. Millett
15 Frank P. Tom	31 Leonard Flint
16 Wilber W. Pride	32 Benj. F. Richardson

Notwithstanding a rainy evening and poor trivelling May 1st, about sixty friends and neighbors assembled at the wedding reception of Elvira C. Groves and Owen P. Brooks, Nina F. Brooks and George H. Hill. The evening was pleasantly spent in friendly greetings and social conversations interrupted by music and games. Refreshments consisting of fruit and confectionery were served at 9:30. All adjourned at 11:30 after heaping showers of congratulations and good wishes on the heads of the brides and bridegrooms and heavily lading two tables with valuable presents, which were received with much pleasure and gratitude, with united respect towards the givers.

PARIS HILL.

George Atwood and family returned this week from Brooklyn York, where they have been visiting for some time.

Samuel R. Carter died last Monday afternoon. The funeral was at the homestead of his mother, Mrs. Arrabella Carter. Mr. Carter will be greatly missed in this place.

Dr. A. C. Hamlin and wife of Bangor, were at Paris last week.

Mrs. Ellen Jackson has returned from her visit to Boston.

Mrs. Chandler Garland returned this week from a two weeks' visit to Boston.

Carroll Hooper of Boston, spent the Sabbath with Mrs. Harriet Perkins.

Universalist Circle at Academy Hall, Friday evening. The farce, "No Cure, No Pay" will be presented. Supper at 6 o'clock.

The Baptist Circle, which was to have occurred last Friday, was postponed on account of the illness of Mr. Lamb. Mr. Lamb is expected some evening this week.

Wm. Black was brought to Paris jail to board at the expense of the county for thirty days, in default of payment of fine and costs for assault and battery.

WEST MINOT.

School commenced Monday, Minnie Davee teacher.

The town clerk states that he has licensed over 50 dogs.

Scott Bearce of Hebron was in town Sunday.

The Minot Packing Co. have put in a machine for making cans. George W. Clark the inventor claims they can make eight thousand per day. LAURIN.

BEATS THEM ALL

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See it Before Purchasing.
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$115, PNEUMATIC,
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Other makes of Gents' Wheels for $55, with Pneumatic Tires.
Special discount from list prices on sundries.
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"PINAFORE."
NORWAY OPERA HOUSE,
Thursday, May 11.
THE BERLIN OPERA COMPANY
Will present Gilbert & Sullivan's popular Opera,
"H. M. S. PINAFORE"
on the above date,
With a Chorus of Forty Voices,
Full Orchestra and a complete cast of home talent, as follows:

Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B.	Cyrus L. Doe
Captain Corcoran	J. P. Welch
Ralph Rackstraw	Dr. P. T. Pepin
Dick Deadeye	Jas. H. O'Daloell
Billy Bobstay	Wm. H. Gerrish
Bob Becket	F. H. Mckenzie
Josephine	Mrs. Gertrude Cobb
Buttercup	Mrs. C. L. Doe
Cousin Hebe	

Produced under the direction of Dr. H. W. JOHNSON. The Company's Orchestra will be augmented by members from STEARNS & NORSWORTHY'S ORCHESTRA, of Norway.
Miss SADIE CLARK, - - - Accompanist.
Elegant costumes made for the occasion, new scenic effects, rollicking choruses, solos, duets, etc.
THE EVENT OF THE SEASON.
Reserved seats on floor or gallery 50 cents. Admission 35 cents. Tickets at Stone's Drug Store.
After the opera, the company will entertain their friends with a social dance till 11:30.
On account of the length of the performance the curtain will rise promptly at 8 o'clock.
Secure your seats early. 17-19

SOUTH PARIS.

Mrs. Mary Briggs of Portland has been very sick, and her many friends will be pleased to learn that hopes are now entertained of her recovery.

Mrs. W. R. Henry who has been quite sick is now convalescing.

Mrs. S. Kimball is still confined to her room and is a great sufferer.

Annie Newton remains about the same.

Mrs. C. F. Penley visited her sons last week, Carl and Scott Godwin of Bethel, and Newell of Andover.

H. A. Bradeen of Andover, while at Richardson lake last season, killed six ducks at one shot. Beat that who can.

C. F. Penley planted peas and potatoes the 25th of April.

The selectmen have appointed agents for the several districts as follows:

No.		No.	
1	John Webber	27	Millard Stevens
2	Harry Ellis	28	Almon Churchill
3	A. H. Andrews	29	A. O. Corbett
5	Ezekiel Porter	30	William C. Shaw
6	Chandler Swift	31	J. F. King
7	J. C. Howe	33	Charles Edwards
8	W. H. Russell	35	Nathan Maxim
9	A. Q. Felton	34	Carroll R. King
10	L. R. Stone	35	George M. Elder
11	F. Kenney	36	J. A. Stanbol
12	Wm. Gerry	37	William H. Cole
13	Davis F. Curtis	38	Edwin E. Stearns
14	Stephen R. Parsons	39	Emerson Tucker
15	O. G. Pratt	40	Frank Bennett
16	W. K. Clifford	41	Edwin L. Thayer
17	Chas. Cummings	42	Ransom Ripley
18	James Strickbold	43	Harrison Farrar
19	Wm. G. Berry	44	S. A. Bumps
20	Austin F. Stearns	45	Edward E. Allen
21	Daniel Swift	46	Henry M. Tuell
22	James S. Dudley	47	William P. Curtis
23	Charles W. Chase	48	W. E. Twitchell
24	E. S. Hammond	50	O. G. Curtis
25	Oscar E. Barrows	51	Wm. F. Dunham
26	H. G. Bumps		

D. B. Morse of the Norway Laundry, has made arrangements to collect and deliver laundry work of his agent, C. W. Hooker & Co., three times a week, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Word was received here Tuesday stating that Rev. T. J. Ramsdell, who went away on his vacation about five weeks ago, was seriously ill at West Troy, N. Y., with typhoid fever.

Geo P. Tucker has been granted a pension of $6.00 per month and back pay to last July.

Sumner Tucker is putting his water down High street as far as Frank Taylor's.

Last Wednesday evening, Mt. Mica Lodge celebrated the 74th anniversary of Odd Fellowship. The exercises of the evening consisted of speeches, music and recitations. A banquet was served.

A. P. Hollis has purchased the Edmund Curtis farm and it is reported that he will remove his family there soon.

Guy Buck of Rumford Falls came home quite sick.

Montell Turner has taken unto himself a wife. Geo. A. Wilson performed the ceremony last Sunday evening.

Osmond Henry, who has been sick with scarlet fever, is convalescing.

Geo. Chesley moved to Lewiston last week.

L. P. Hawkins of Deering, made our village a visit last week.

The ladies of the Relief Corps will give a clam chowder supper at G. A. R. Hall, May 9th, from 6:30 to 7:30. There will also be an apron sale during the afternoon and evening, also a quilt to be disposed of. After the tables are cleared away there will be a peanut hunt, with a prize to the finder of the largest number, also a booby prize. A small admission will be charged. All members are requested to bring cake.

F. P. Burbank has repainted the roof of his residence.

Little Harry Wing, who was sent to the Maine General Hospital to have his foot straightened, is doing well and will probably return soon with quite a straight pair of feet.

LaForest Benson, who has been in the employ of O. N. Forster for a number of years, has gone to Lewiston to work in one of the cotton mills.

I. F. Evans is away working on the Atlas of Maine.

Rev. Mr. Bickford of Norway, supplied at the Baptist church last Sunday.

The Baptist Circle met with J. E. Murch, last Thursday.

Charles Thayer moved to Auburn last week.

Brick is scarce in our village and he who is fortunate enough to have a new one is considered above want.

Chas. G. Andrews is in Mass, visiting.

H. N. Bolster, who has been in trade here since July 1st, 1864, sold his stock in trade to J. A. Lamb of Calais, who will take possession next Monday. Mr. Bolster has run his journal from A to Z and thinks it about time to retire as he exhausted all the letters of the alphabet. Mr. Lamb comes to us well recommended, having been in the employ of the Shaw Bros., tanners, for years.—We wish him success.

Young, the photographer, has leased the Davis store for five years and will make his home permanently with us.

Thede Thayer has sold 25 horses within three weeks, 20 for the Wild River Lumber Co., and 5 for himself.

NORTH WOODSTOCK.

E. G. Wing is suffering very much from spinal trouble. It is doubtful if he is able to carry on his farm this season.

C. H. Sessions was drawn from Woodstock for the traverse jury and is at Paris this week attending court.

E. H. Sessions has been at work the past week helping Mr. Glines get his pine lumber down the Concord river into the Androscoggin.

Marrying and getting ready to marry is all the rage in this vicinity.

STAND FOR SALE!
The house and lot, corner of Main and Mill streets, Norway Village, known as the Barrows place. Lot contains about three-fourths of an acre of good land, on which there are ten or more grafted fruit trees. One and one-half story house, containing seven finished rooms, together with ell and shed. Never failing spring of excellent water on the premises, which is connected with house by pump. Price Reasonable and terms easy. Apply to
18-19 ALBERT SANBORN, Norway, Me.

DOG COLLARS.
Horse Collars and Blankets, Carriage Robes, Dusters, Mats, Boots.
Axle and Harness Oil.
Trunks, Valises, Satchels, Extension Cases.
Harness, $8.00 to $50.00.
Every good thing in our line. Prices to fit the goods at
CYRUS S. TUCKER'S HARNESS STORE
NORWAY.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

Will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, May 16th, 1893, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the premises, the homestead, including the cabinet shop connected therewith, occupied by Sylvester Robertson, and situated on the northerly side of Main street, in Bethel Hill Village. Also the stock in trade of said Robertson, comprising chairs, tables, bedsteads, etc.

CYRUS M. WORMELL,
18-19 Assignee in Insolvency.

SEED OATS for sale in quantities to suit. Also a single harness nearly new. Call on Wm. C. Hobbs, Norway Center, Maine. 18-20

IMPORTANT!
A Few Things It Will Pay You to Buy of
C. H. LANE, West Paris.

Choice Molasses at		30c. a gallon.
" Flour		$4.00 a bbl.
" Tea at		35c. per pound.
" Smoking Tobacco at 35c. per		"
" Chewing Tobacco 35c., 40c.		"
A nice pair Shoes		$1.15
A fine Dress Shoe		2.00
A nice Gents' Shirt		50c.
Boys' Columbus Suits	$3.50 to $5.00	
Men's Suits	$5.00 to $15.00	
Crockery Ware,	Easy Chairs,	
All Wool Carpets,	Mattresses,	
Union Carpets,	Extension Tables,	
Straw Mattings,	Center Tables,	
Chamber Sets,	Kitchen Chairs,	
Spring Beds,	etc., etc., etc.	

And many other things we cannot name here. We need money, Beans, Eggs, Butter, Potatoes, etc., and will give you big values in goods in exchange.

ESTHER.

J. G. Rich is in Portland attending the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Something much needed in Bethel is a sidewalk from the Hill to the station. We trust our village fathers will not think it beneath them to undertake the job. We are sure the present generations will bless the man that starts it.

A season of fun at Opera Hall, this Thursday evening, a great comedy company, The Hoodlums. The most laughable farce ever produced in Bethel. Come and get a treat. Customary prices.

E. H. Young has a full stock of harnesses and horse and carriage rigging, a specialty of horse boots and dog collars, whips, blankets, lap robes and all material in his line of business. See his ad. in this paper.

Miss E. E. Burnham has two cook ranges for sale cheap. Any person in want of a range can make a good trade.*

Our postmaster is popular and the Bethel post-office is nicely conducted and gives general satisfaction. We think the double management, the assistant, who is the accommodating factor, gives the office its best prestige.

Ceylon Rowe is in Boston and New York this week purchasing his spring stock of men's and boys' clothing, ladies' wear and fancy goods. Look out for a choice stock

WEST SUMNER.

Mrs. John Heald, her two daughters and Nettie Keene have the measles. Mrs. Heald and oldest daughter are pretty sick. Others have been exposed.

L. L. Gardiner is out again after quite a sick spell.

Seldon Barrett has been quite sick but is on the gain now.

Dr. Bisbee and Mrs. Emeline Chandler have had their houses painted outside.

Minnie Bisbee is to teach the school in the Parlin district.

H. T. Heath has gone to West Paris to work on a farm. His family went with him.

Ellie Murch is sick at his father's, threatened with a fever.

Dr. Bisbee and J. J. Abbott have got moved.

Making soap, cleaning house and making May baskets is the order of the day.

The Farrar boys and Jim Suckles are driving river.

Mrs. B. S. Doble fell while going down some steps and hurt her quite badly, so as to require a hired girl. Miss Newell is at work for her.

Mrs. Cummings and Marilla have moved into H. L. Ryerson's house.

Wm. T. Bonney has sold his oxen.

The Universalist church is being newly shingled.

Ada D. Heath is at her uncle's, Harry Farrar's, this week.

Little Lawrence, son of John E Berry, died last Monday morning of pneumonia. He was a smart little fellow but he has been called to join his mother in that land where parting is unknown. Funeral at the Baptist church Tuesday, Rev S. D. Richardson officiating.

SUMNER.

Mirilla Cummings is to teach the summer term of school at East Sumner.

Moses Merrill is visiting his son, L. P. Merrill at West Sumner.

The continued backwardness of spring is creating quite a demand for hay in this vicinity.

C. M. Parlin is so ill as to be out again.

T. L. Foster visited in Buckfield and Turner recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Starbird of Livermore stopped in the place over night last week.

A. M. Beckler is to teach the summer term of school in the Stubs school-house in Hartford.

The frogs have commenced to sing.

NORTH PARIS.

Charles W. Stevens has moved to his new home, the farm formerly occupied by Frank Robbins. It is much regretted by the people in our village that Mr. Stevens saw fit to go away. He was always a kind and accommodating neighbor, always ready to respond in sickness and in need.

One fine in this place thinks of killing his worthless dog. All the others have paid or are intending to pay the license and let the little sinners live.

Mary Warren will go to Boston on Wednesday and remain a few days, from there to the Worcester Fair, and then visit her brothers in Indian Territory.

James Fogg sat up five hours last Saturday but has not the use of his limbs yet.

Almaretta Fuller is in the place. Her home has been in Auburn for a number of years.

A young urchin in this place had an ambition for killing frogs. His mother told him he was a very wicked boy to kill the frogs little boys, but he went to the frog pond to get his hand at killing more. He soon ran to his mother greatly frightened screaming, "The old frog said, You killed my son, you killed my son." He never killed any frogs afterwards.

Mrs. Emily Keene will teach the school in the White school-house.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Merritt Sawin and J. F. Lord have been to Sumner and Hartford after oxen. They drove home two pairs. Sawin Bros. sold theirs to Frank Trafton of Harrison and purchased another yoke of R. K. Morrill of Norway.

George Abbott has a very fine yearling colt.

J. W. Dresser has three sheep which have had 7 lambs this spring.

Edwin French was up from Auburn last week to look after his farm and stock which has been cared for this winter by J. P. Mason.

HANOVER.

Florence Howe commenced school in our district Monday, May 1st.

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DEATHS.

In Mexico, April 29, only child of W. I. Holt, aged 10½ months.

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EAST HEBRON.

H. A. Record is repairing the ell to his house and grafting for his neighbors to improve their fruit trees.

The Grangers have completed painting their hall.

On Wednesday our accommodating town clerk came to this part of the town to give an opportunity for the people to obtain a license for their dogs. Twenty-five in this little place paid their tax and went home rejoicing.

Dr. Robinson returned from Andover on Saturday eve.

Dea. R. P. Fuller has sold a large amount of Pacific Guano this spring. He has been agent for the same several years and his trade increases every year.

The parsonage has been treated to a new coat of paint.

George Long lost eight of his cats in one day last week. He has a very nice Shepherd dog that is sick and has the same symptoms of poison the cats had. George has a great love for pets.

Ted Atwood returned to his home in Buckfield after passing several weeks with Carl Rogers.

L. F. Saunders has built a shed for Geo. W. Packard.

Frank Pierce has finished work in Auburn and is improving the general appearance of his farm by trimming his orchard and cutting hedge rows.

One fine in this place thinks of killing his worthless dog. All the others have paid or are intending to pay the license and let the little sinners live.

Mary Warren will go to Boston on Wednesday and remain a few days, from there to the Worcester Fair, and then visit her brothers in Indian Territory.

James Fogg sat up five hours last Saturday but has not the use of his limbs yet.

Almaretta Fuller is in the place. Her home has been in Auburn for a number of years.

A young urchin in this place had an ambition for killing frogs. His mother told him he was a very wicked boy to kill the frogs little boys, but he went to the frog pond to get his hand at killing more. He soon ran to his mother greatly frightened screaming, "The old frog said, You killed my son, you killed my son." He never killed any frogs afterwards.

Mrs. Emily Keene will teach the school in the White school-house.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Merritt Sawin and J. F. Lord have been to Sumner and Hartford after oxen. They drove home two pairs. Sawin Bros. sold theirs to Frank Trafton of Harrison and purchased another yoke of R. K. Morrill of Norway.

George Abbott has a very fine yearling colt.

J. W. Dresser has three sheep which have had 7 lambs this spring.

Edwin French was up from Auburn last week to look after his farm and stock which has been cared for this winter by J. P. Mason.

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THE HIDDEN CITY.

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The men withdrew, leaving Pierce, Whitley and the sheriff with Eric. Breakfast was prepared for them, and they were soon discussing the situation over the table, at the head of which sat Lela, Kulcan having departed, in a sudden accession of courage, to the city to calm the people there. Eric explained the state of affairs briefly, giving them an insight into the politics and religion of the Atzlans, the recent effort of Chalpa to obtain a hold upon the offices, and an account of his attempt upon Eric and of Chalpa's death, leading up to the action of the previous night when the firing had attracted the attention of the rescuers camped in the canyon.

Knowing nothing of Cale or the sheriff he refrained from any description of the treasure he had found, but he stated that he had accumulated considerable gold and silver, which he thought perhaps had better be equally divided among the men. This arrangement he felt would reward them liberally, in addition to their stipulated pay. It was agreed by Cale and the sheriff that this would be most satisfactory, and the matter was then dropped.

Pierce now regaled Eric—and Lela as well—with a resume of political and other events which had occurred in the world from which Gilbert had been shut out, and the noon hour was upon them before he had finished. Meanwhile the other two men had grown tired and withdrew to the camp. Then it was that Eric took Pierce more fully into his confidence and made his eyes fairly bulge with an account of the vast treasure within the city, but he had scruples hard to overcome, which made it difficult to see his title to the hoard, and these were shared by Pierce.

After their noon meal they resolved to go to the city and confer with Iklapel both upon this matter and the general effect of the new arrivals upon the city's welfare. In passing along to the temple Gilbert noted carefully the faces of the people, and was glad to observe a cheerful temper apparent. While there was mourning, he knew, in several houses, he could see no evidence of general feeling, and he hoped that the crisis was over and the deaths of the most violent and powerful leaders had ended all trouble.

They found old Iklapel at the temple and many priests around him. He had just finished a wise and forcible sermon, in which he had outlined the many benefits which would accrue to the nation from following Eric's plans, recounsing Chalpa's memory bitterly and with great force as the cause of all discord. He had deprecated the craving for power and place which had caused all the trouble, and had drawn his hearers by his powerful logic and noble oratory to a recognition of the truth—that civilization would, if adopted at once without reserve, place them upon an equal by with the rest of the world, and prevent the miserable decadence which would surely ensue if they continued in their old customs and beliefs.

Then, following upon the old priest's words, Eric stood before them and told them simply and carefully of the history of other nations. For two hours he addressed them—and the gathering of priests grew to a great multitude ere he had ended—telling them of Greece and Rome; of England and America; of Peru and Mexico, and of the race of Indians dying off the face of the earth because civilization is too powerful for them to resist, and they are too weak to accept its customs. When he had finished, behold, Kulcan arose, and raising his hands cried:

"My brethren and friends, our Quetzal speaks wise words. I fear he will leave us if we are stubborn and headstrong, and we want him with us. Do we not?" He was answered with shouts of hearty volume and feeling. "Now that Chalpa is gone from us there will be no more trouble, and I feel that if Quetzal were our governor we would be prosperous and content. I desire not the office; it ill befits me, for I am too easily influenced this way and that. You want a wise man, a great father like our Quetzal, who knows the men of all the earth and their tongues and their wily ways, that he may protect us from them and guard us from the enemy who comes in forms we know not. Let us have a great meeting in the estufa tonight and hold another election. Go now and tell all the people, and think well upon Iklapel's words and Quetzal's and mine, the least of you all."

They dispersed, and Eric led Iklapel into the temple and seated him. Beside him, Pierce standing outside looking down with curious eyes upon the city.

Eric opened at once upon the subject of the treasure, telling him frankly how much it was valued by the rest of the world and to what mad extremes men would go for a tenth or a twentieth of it. He told him its worth, but succeeded only in dimly impressing it upon the priest, but Iklapel realized keenly the evils that would follow a repetition of the scenes of Cortez or Pizarro's plunderings as depicted by Eric. He heard the latter through without saying much until Eric finally said:

"Now, my father Iklapel, you are the oldest here. You have said the treasure is mine, but it is yours and your people's to hold or to give away. Tell me now, what say you as to its disposition?"

"You have told me many things," he began. "You have made my heart sore and my ears burn with wondrous tales of your great people and their cities. I yearn to see them. I long to witness these wonders, but I am old, and I grow feeble. But my people are young; they are your brothers now. Why should they not see and have these marvels? You tell me that we have the wealth of many nations, and that wealth does all things. Why cannot you bring these wonders here? Need you leave us if you can command these things? Need you go away if you can bring them here to us? Thus we can at one bound overleap the gulf which separates us from the New World and be equal in wealth and knowledge and power to any city of the earth.

"We are not dull; we learn readily, and you will be proud of your people before another decade passes. We are in this city you can plan new enterprises, put in practice your theories of government, and make of this ancient Atzlan, so full of all the memories of past ages, a new and mighty city—a monument to your wisdom forever. I leave it in your hands, oh, my Quetzal; 'tis yours to take or leave—this treasure. I give it to you as I have the power, but ponder well my words, for they are full of wisdom given me this day by God himself."

"But," answered Eric, "it is no ordinary undertaking that you propose. One man could not hope to rule this people alone."

"You will have all the power of this wealth behind you," interrupted Iklapel. "You can make the law."

"But not enforce it, my old friend. There's the rub. Money may rule where it is feared or worshiped, but here, where men do not need much, they do not fear the power of wealth. The mere possession of money will not be enough for one who wishes to rule a people. Once upon a time, centuries ago, a Roman who was very rich bought from the pretorian guards the great office of emperor; but he could hold it only sixty-six days. Then another and abler Roman, Severus, defeated and beheaded him. That was long ago, but the lesson remains."

"Truly," answered Iklapel; "yet I think you have the ability to manage our people. They love you and perhaps fear you also."

Eric had already made up his mind.

"Well, I will try it; it will be an experiment. It may fail, and it may prove an immense success, but it is full of trouble and probably danger."

"It may be so," said the old priest, "but it is a laudable undertaking. You have behind you the knowledge of all the failures and successes in other lands to guide you."

"I have it," cried Eric. "No, I shall not leave you, Iklapel. We will build up Atzlan and make it a great city—the wonder of the world."

He went out to Pierce, and taking him by the hand said: "Old man, I've made up my mind. We will stay here, Lela and I. Yes, don't look so amazed. I mean it. I am going to run this town myself after this and give it a boom."

Pierce looked blank for a moment.

"But, confound it, after we've taken all this trouble to save your skin you want to remain here and go through it all over again?"

"No; there will be no trouble. Besides I want you to stay here for awhile (a year or so, old fellow, eh?) and get into our ways. You'll like the place. Wonderful trout fishing, splendid snipe shooting, fine climate. Oh, you'll enjoy it, I know."

Then, growing earnest, he outlined his plan to Pierce. It was, in brief, to divide about fifty thousand dollars among the men who had been hired for the expedition, and retaining Whitley and Sheriff Woodruff dismiss them all. He would then call together the chief men of the city and form a board of directors under his own presidency, laying before them a scheme of management which he was sure would inure to the benefit of all.

The city would simply be a great stock company, capitalized from its own priestly savings, and its earnings would be divided among the people. There were rich mines to be worked, and which alone would make the people wealthy in fact, the more he thought of it the more feasible it seemed, and he grew enthusiastic at the prospect.

Although Pierce was not so sanguine, he still felt that with unknown millions in bank almost any scheme could be carried out, and he felt like trying the experiment. He looked dubious, however.

"Understand me," added Eric. "I mean business. It is not all pure philanthropy by any means. I know we will have to buck against ignorance, superstition and fear; also there will be a rush of outsiders, speculators, land grabbers and others here that must be checked. The government will perhaps interfere; the state certainly will. We will need all our wits and more to manage things, and even the success of the plan may be our undoing, for when they are all educated twenty years hence other interests will perhaps be more powerful."

"And therefore it would be wise," interposed Pierce, "for us to place away in some good, solid securities a few millions for the use of original charter members, as it were, in case the board of directors is voted out of office some time in the future."

"Just so," Eric answered, "and Iklapel himself would say the same. At least it is no more than other discoverers and conquerers have always done."

"Only they took all there was in sight," said Pierce, "and we propose to take only a small percentage. Are Whitley and Woodruff in this at all?"

"Perhaps it is better that they remain outside—for the present anyway," Eric answered, laughing.

That night the inhabitants of Atzlan in a great meeting elected Gilbert their governor. The voting was by acclamation, and the whole proceeding did not take fifteen minutes. He was summoned and made a speech to them, unfolding his ideas in the simplest manner so that they comprehended his scheme readily. They were quick to see the advantages of the plan, although they had no monopolistic corporations as examples to teach them the power of combination. But he laid great stress upon the difficult nature of the task, and again and again laid before them the necessity of constant toil, ceaseless vigilance and tireless patience.

"Most of all, above all, work, work, work," he cried. "It is the soul, the life of the world; the aim and end of living—aye, 'tis life itself."

The next day the wagon train came into the city, and the Atzlans crowded about the canvas covered wagons, filled with mingled curiosity and fear. The horses terrified them by their every action; the wagons amazed them; their eyes were tired before the day passed with staring at the marvels that were displayed on every hand. Many of them made most advantageous bargains, exchanging gold and silver ornaments, mere baubels, for the rare things the strangers brought. Their greatest desire was for the axes, hatchets and hunting and pocketknives. But some queer trades were made. One aged chief had obtained a pair of eyeglasses and was beside himself with delight at the restoration of his vision, while another reveled in the possession of a compass and spent his time showing the unerring needle to his astonished friends.

Eric had cautioned them not to be too liberal in their dealings with the white men, and also tried to prevent their being swindled, and endeavored to prevent too palpable swindling on his men's part, but it was nearly impossible. The temptation was too great on both sides to be restrained, and it was curious to see the complacent sense of satisfaction and the realization of clever business tact beaming in the faces of those of the Atzlans who had made good bargains from an Atzlan point of view. They knew they had outwitted the newcomers and gotten something for nothing, and they were mightily pleased with themselves.

In the evening Kulcan came to Eric and said:

"Brother, tomorrow I shall hand over to you the office and its powers."

"But," interrupted Eric, "before you do so you must perform a ceremony—one upon which I have set my heart. You must wed us, Lela and me, as the last act of your tenure of office."

"It shall be so!" cried Kulcan with delight. "I am glad it falls to me! Indeed it repays me for the loss of the great dignity of being governor, which loss, believe me, does not sadden me at all. In truth, I confess to a feeling of relief at the thought that till becomes my father's son, but still I feel it."

On the morrow, when all the people had assembled to witness the abdication of the governor and the ceremony of installing his successor, Kulcan, departing from ancient usage, proud of being the first to break the bond of traditional custom, stood before them speaking eloquently for awhile, and then there stepped forth the bride and bridegroom in their dignity and beauty.

Before the citizens had recovered from their wonder they heard Kulcan pronouncing the simple marriage ceremony, and as one man they joined in the sonorous, joyful nuptial song of Atzlan. So harmonious is the melody, so touching is the simplicity of the words that Eric himself was affected, and tears blurred his eyes as he noted the real joy and sincere affection the people displayed. Until now he had scarcely known how much room they occupied in his heart, and he determined to give the whole energy of his life to them and their needs.

After this came his investment in the governor's robes, the presentation of the ancient seal and staff of office, and a prayer by Iklapel to the great God of all—the Master of all known gods, the Ruler of earth and sky—which was listened to in silence and awe. Then there ensued a festival of festivals. The day was given to joy and merrymaking, and the Katun cakes, the currant wine and the baked meats were brought forth. Far into the night they held revelry, and Pierce, as he noted the jovial songs and hilarious but familiar whoops of mirth, was led to remark:

"Gilbert, I was about to say this morning that, in the contact of these people with the whites, the usual remedy of savage races—rum—would be their worst foe. I now realize that they have already met the enemy and he is theirs."

"Yes," replied Gilbert, "it will be different here. In the case of the Indian he was introduced to a strange and unknown beverage that drowned his sorrows, and made him forget his woes; but here, for ages, they have distilled liquors and drank them, and they can make good liquor too. They have never known an excise law nor an internal revenue bureau, and, like all human blessings, because it is free to all, none care much for it. In all my stay here I have not seen drunken men except upon the day of the attack on my house, and they drank then only to fire themselves to desperation. While the introduction of better liquors might beget a higher taste, I don't fear that they will be harmed by rum."

"If your plans do not miscarry they will soon be drinking champagne like other bloated capitalists," added Pierce as he lighted his pipe. "And as we have some in our commissary wagon, suppose we drink a health to the new departure."

Now began stirring times. Besides the usual spring sowing the people were busy all the time discussing the new features of their social and political life to come. It was amazing how earnestly they entered into all the plans of Eric and Iklapel, and with what implicit confidence they predicted the great future of the city. Nothing now was too new or too vast to deter them. They were eager to enter upon the new era.

Eric had selected his board of directors with great care, and day after day they detained the wagon train until their plans were perfect. More than a month elapsed before Eric could say, "We are ready to proceed," but finally the day came.

Everything was completed. Three of the wagons were secretly loaded with gold by night and stood ready to depart. Pierce was to convert the metal into currency and act as financial agent in the great operations to follow. Supplies of all sorts in immense quantities were to be bought—an electric light plant, mining and milling machinery, horses, fine cattle and other stock, farming implements, looms, clocks—everything, in fact, that civilization could furnish from its plenteous store was to be procured and brought to them.

The task was great, but Pierce felt his blood glow as he thought of it. As the greatest buyer upon earth, the representative of unheard of wealth, he would fairly rival Monte Cristo, if he did not eclipse him, and in the building of a railroad across the desert, one of the first enterprises to be launched, he saw a most interesting and exciting project, which alone was worthy of any man. What more noble ambition could he ever have desired than this eminently proud one? And now they were ready. Each step in the great undertaking carefully considered and planned, nothing remained but to act.

Lela stood on the threshold as the line of wagons filed past, with drivers and escorts waving their hats in farewell salutes; Eric and Pierce in the rear, exchanging last words of caution and advice. When they reached the house Eric dismounted and grasped Pierce's hand, with moist eyes:

"Now, goodby, Harold. God bless you! Be careful and remember you hold us all in your hand."

"Don't worry, my dear boy. You'll hear from me very soon, and let me tell you," he added, with an effort at facetiousness, "there will be a lot of newspaper reports here inside of ten days, mark my words, and they will give you something to bother about. And besides they'll establish a mail service for you, depend upon it. Goodby, goodby."

He mounted and galloped away. Eric led his wife to the housetop. They could see the train wind along the river until it disappeared behind the canyon's outreaching spurs, and then she turned to him, with a great, hopeful look in her eyes, and kissed his lips. Together they stood there, the morning breaking richly and warmly over the red cliffs, when Iklapel emerged from below and stood beside them. His eyes were full of a great fire as he gazed down the canyon where the dust still rose above the trail of the wagons. Then he turned toward the city and stood silent, regarding it for a long time; then raising his arms like a prophet of old he cried out:

"Rise up, O City of the Sun! Behold, the day has come; the serpent is dead! Behind you, O city of my fathers, lie the untold eons of superstition, of blood and darkness, reaching back, back to man's first feeble steps! Men came and men went away, but thou hast remained. O hoary city of the past, look up and see the light! Before you the future stands, its unknown space illumined by an unspeakable glory. In its beauty it is coming to be thy bride. I hear its voice; I hear its approaching footsteps. Oh, that my eyes may see its glory and my lips taste its sweetness! I have said it—it is good."

He turned to his only hearers, and his voice grew low and sweet as he looked at Eric and said:

"And so it has begun, O my brother, and to you we owe it. Yea, I see it before me plainly, the story of this great city, for it will be greater than ever before. Its story will go out before men, and they will wonder at its ages hence, and it will be told to the children and sung by the poets, and the world will marvel at it, for 'tis the work of a god!"

"Nay," said Lela as she threw her arms about her husband's neck, "'tis the work of man, and it is begun by a man, and, lo, he is mine, my Quetzel!"

THE END.

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Moths have a dislike to newspapers, and it is well to lay them on the shelves and in the bottom of the drawers. Packing boxes and trunks should be carefully lined with them, care being taken that they are pasted air tight, or you may provide by leaving them loose, a place for some insect to nest in the winter where you little suspect.

The use of tarred paper is very disagreeable to most people, and clothes packed with it retain the repulsive odor for a long time after they are removed from contact with it or with the ill-smelling tablets sometimes used. Newspaper, pyrethrum and cloves are just as beneficial in keeping the moths away as are the obnoxious odors caused by such agencies.

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STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, ss.—Probate Court, April Term, A. D. 1893.

Whereas a petition has been duly filed praying that the bankrupt remaining in the hands of Elon G. Whitman, administrator of the estate of Isaac P. Swan, late of Greenwood, deceased, be allowed to retain of the said bankrupt estate in a Probate Court held at Paris, within and for said county, on the third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893, may be ordered to be distributed among the heirs of said deceased, and the assets of said bankrupt be applied to the payment of the debts of said deceased, and the balance if any be found, be paid over to said bankrupt, or to whomsoever he may lawfully direct, and the petitioner be discharged from his trust:

That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law;

That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at Paris, in said county, on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1893, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon;

Given under my hand the date first above written.

JONATHAN BLAKE, Deputy Sheriff.

As Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Oxford. 17-18

The Subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of

SARAH P. CROCKETT, late of Norway,

in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to

April 18, 1893. (17-19) JAMES A. SHEDD.

OXFORD, ss.—At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893.

ALVEN S. KIMBALL, Executor on the estate of Ichabod A. Hayes, late of Waterford, in said county, deceased, having presented his account of administration of said estate of said deceased for allowance:

ORDERED, That the said Executor give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, printed at Norway, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, in said county, on the third Tuesday of May next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed. (17-19) GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.

A true copy—Attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Reg.

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, ss.—April 19, A. D. 1893.

This is to give notice, that on the 19th day of April A. D. 1893, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Oxford, against the estate of Chas. H. Swan, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the 19th day of April; A. D. 1893, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed;

That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law;

That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at Paris, in said county, on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1893, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

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The subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford, and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of

SAMUEL JOHNSON, late of Hanover,

in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to

April 18, 1893. (17-19) CHAS. P. BARTLETT.

OXFORD, SS.—At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893.

SARAH S. WILSON, widow of Charles L. Wilson, late of Waterford, deceased, having presented her petition for an allowance out of the personal estate of said deceased:

ORDERED, That the said Petitioner give notice of the same to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, a newspaper printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Paris, within and for said County, on the third Tuesday of May next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed. (17-19) GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.

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READ THIS IF YOU ARE GOING,

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The coming summer will be alive with interest. The dreaded Asiatic Cholera threatens us, and the Columbian Exhibition diverts our thoughts to pleasanter things. Everyone is awake to watchfulness in the former, and all are hoping the scourge may be kept away.

Scientists state that Cholera is always introduced into the system through the stomach.

The food we eat and the water we drink are our sources of danger.

"Cholera," says one, "will not develop if the person exposed is perfectly healthy. It is the weak, debilitated and improperly nourished who are prey to epidemics."

Here is the danger to many.

The World's Fair will tempt them to Chicago. A change of water,—at all times more or less harmful,—is doubly dangerous, from the fact that the city water of Chicago has been pronounced vile and unfit for drinking purposes. Spring waters will be sold, of course, but their origin will be unknown, and the temptation to quench one's thirst at every opportunity will often be yielded to, regardless of consequences.

Careless eating and drinking, if the system is run down, will be sure to produce, if not Cholera, at least an attack of some sort.

Officials will be on the alert for cases of suspected sickness.

How would you feel in a strange city, hundreds of miles from home, to find yourself in a hospital, cut off from all communication with your friends?

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ALBANY.

The cold weather still has a hold on us and snow drifts still decorate the Albany hills.

Carter A. Grover has left for parts unknown to his friends here in town. It is thought that he went with matrimonial intention in his head.

Evie Wilbur has gone to North Norway to do house work for Sarah Holt.

Chas. Chase has gone to Lynn, Mass, to work at his trade painting.

School in district No. 1 closed last Friday taught by Florence Abbott of Bethel It was considered a very profitable term of school.

W. W. Bird is school agent in district No. 1 or Hunt's Corner district. It was voted not to have any summer school.

Otis Hayford is in town on business. He reports lively times at Rumford.

H. O. Wilbur has ten nice young pigs in his pen all doing nicely.

BYRON.

Rev. Joseph Knapp died at his son Bartlett's in Newry, April 25, 1893, of pneumonia. He was born in Mexico, Dec. 1, 1804, and is the last of his family. He was the son of Samuel Knapp, one of the first settlers of Byron. He was a well and rugged man, was very seldom sick until his last sickness which resulted in his death after a brief illness. The deceased was educated in the common schools of his native town, and for many years preached the gospel in his own and adjoining towns. He moved to Byron when about ten years of age and has lived there nearly all the time until his death. He has been a member of the board of selectmen and held many other offices of trust in his town during his long and useful life. The deceased was married to Lydia Bartlett, Nov. 30, 1826. They had ten children, five of whom are living. His wife died July 1, 1876. H.

SOUTH PARIS.

SINGE POLE.—John Thurlow is visiting his mother at North Woodstock.

S. M. King is school agent is this district. Mrs. Tucker is to teach the summer school.

C. R. Elder returned to Boston Monday.

Mr. Elder was very sick the past week but is comfortable at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKeen are at Mr. Elder's this week.

Mrs. Roberts and little grandchild are at her daughter's, Mrs. Starbird's, sick.

Millard Stevens has been sick abed.

Nellie King is to teach in Harrison this summer.

Gertie Shaw was at home last Sunday.

Nellie Churchill is engaged to work for Mrs. C. L. Elder through the month of May.

John Ryerson is sawing wood for Will Shaw.

No. 4 HILL.—Julia Corbett was at home Sunday.

Nathan Maxim has bought the Alpheus Shaw farm and will take down the buildings. He has sold the barn to Howard Bumpus

Augustus Thurlow is agent in this school district.

Manley Bessey and wife have hired out on a farm to Mr. Morrill in Mass.

Eggs.

As an article of food, eggs are simply invaluable, and in the spring of the year when they are plentiful and cheap they should be made the basis of many a good meal. The mistress of a lovely city home, a perfect housekeeper, and an excellent cook, sent me her receipts for cooking eggs in a variety of ways, which she has tested and tried. She scraps with that favorite and substantial dish, ham and eggs, and if the price of ham is way up, and quite beyond a slender purse we will not pass it by.

Ham and Eggs.—After your ham is fried cut it into pieces ready for serving, have a good supply of hot fat, break three or four eggs into a dish, being careful not to break the yolks, slide them into a spider, then do not leave to fry themselves, but constantly throw hot fat over them until the white is done, have the ham on a large platter, put one egg on each slice of ham. Serve immediately.

Scrambled Eggs.—Have a spider hot on top of the stove, put in a large spoonful of butter, have ready six or eight eggs, or according to the size of your family, put in the eggs and remove the spider to a cooler part of the stove, stir constantly, being careful that they do not get cooked too much, sprinkle in a little salt and they are ready for the table.

Baked Eggs.—Put a spoonful of butter into a hot spider, break half a dozen eggs in a dish without breaking the yolks, slide them into the spider, sprinkle over a little salt, have ready a little melted butter, put a teaspoonful on each, and place in the oven until the whites are set.

Egg Salad.—Boil six eggs ten minutes, put in cold water until cold and slice. Have ready a cream dressing made as follows:

2 eggs well beaten, one teaspoonful sugar, one fourth teaspoonful salt, two tablespoonfuls of cream, a pinch of mustard, two spoonsful of vinegar, put in a double boiler, and stir until it thickens. Set away until cold, then pour over the eggs. It is well to make the dressing first so it will be cooling.

Poached Eggs.—Have your spider half full of boiling water, put in a large spoonful of salt before putting in the eggs, do not put in too many at once, and throw water over them with a spoon. When the white is set take out carefully with a skimmer. If you wish to serve on toast, have the toast very hot, place one egg on the top of each slice, put a bit of butter on the top of each slice, and a bit of butter on the top of each egg. When poaching eggs keep the water very hot, but not allow it to boil.

Eggs with Hash.—Have your hash ready for the table, put on a platter and smooth nicely, with the bowl of a spoon make little cavities into which put eggs, either fried or poached. In serving help each one to hash and one egg.

Omelet.—Beat the yolks and whites separately, of five eggs, then beat together, add one cup of milk, a little salt and one tablespoonful of flour, pour into a well buttered spider, and cook on top of the stove until nearly done, then set in the oven to brown. Serve as soon as done.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe the past season it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free Trial Bottles at Kimball & Williamson's Drug Store.

But He's a Little Dull.

A Penobscot county farmer, speaking of a former hired man in his employ, remarked quietly, "He's a pretty good sort of a fellow, John is, but he's a little dull—a little dull." After a moment's further thought he continued, "It may be necessary to explain that a bit. I'll tell you how 'tis with him. I took a pretty nice field of onions growing, but they stood a little thick together and needed thinning out. So I told John he might do it. He worked away at them for a day or two and then I went out to see how he was getting on. I found he had pulled up all the biggest ones and thrown them away, leaving only the smallest plants in the rows. I asked him what in creation he had pulled up all the best for and he said 'twas 'to give the little fellows a chance, 'cos the big ones had crowded them and they couldn't grow.' A little dull, John is, a little dull."

The editor of the Chronicle was in Wilton recently, and while there purchased of R. A. Carver, esq., the subscription list and good will of the Wilton Record. It is understood that the Record will be hereafter printed in Farmington in its present form, and will not be discontinued unless the patronage of it is found to be inadequate to ensure financial success. R. A. Carver, esq., former editor of the Record, will for the present remain in Wilton and run his job printing office (as most of his material was saved from the fire.) Wilton Times.

As E. A. Harlow was going after some pigs for E. P. Bowker and H. T. Heath were riding a piece to their work, the horse became unmanageable, kicked and broke the dasher. Dolph hollered, whoa, and turned white. The horse ran across the road up a steep bank and came near going through a board fence but finally hauled up without getting capsized—as we expected every moment he would.

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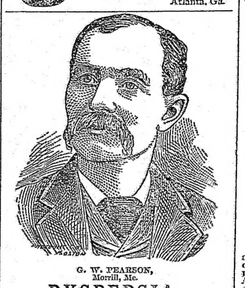

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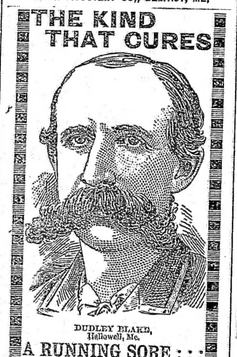

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GENTLEMEN—For the past six years I have been troubled with a **VERY BAD SORE** on my leg, which was so exceedingly painful at times that I could not work. Tried almost everything but it would not heal. Last June it became very painful. The disease permeated my system to such an extent that blotches and **running sores** and caused me intense suffering. Tried Salves and various medicines, employed different Physicians but relief came not. The running sore on my leg kept **growing worse**, and the old sore on my leg grew large until it covered a space of **Three by six inches.** I was discouraged and hopes fearly gone.

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C. L. HATHAWAY, Norway, Local Agent.

NORWAY SOCIETY DIRECTORY.
A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.
OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 35, meets in Masonic Hall, Monday evening, on or before full moon. V. W. Hills, W. M.; E. L. Smith, Secy.
NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Harry E. Gibson, N. G. C. G. Mason, Secy.
WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Geo. A. Cole, C. P. C. G. Mason, Scribe.
HARRY ROSS POST No. 54, G. A. R., meets in Ryerson Hall on the third Friday evening of each month. S. L. Etheredge, P. C.; E. H. Brown, Adj.; A. P. Bassett, Q. M.
UNION ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 56, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. L. I. Gilbert, H. P.; H. D. Smith, Secretary.
NORWAY COMMANDERY, No. 24, U. O. G. C., meets at Ryerson Hall, 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings of each month. S. N. Gile, N. C.; Lucella Cummings, Recorder.
RESBESKEECHEE LODGE No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. O. M. Cummings, C. C.; Arthur Bedward, K. of R. & S.
LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 171, N. E. O. P., meets in Ryerson Hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mrs. Ada A. Libby, Warden. Mrs. O. A. Holden, Secretary.
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Oh, he old gray shed by the barn-yard wall,
We are they kept the cart and the farm tools all
We are pleasure there without alloy,
Little and at play when a "wee small" boy.
The re I play ed at games, which busy men
Is later years, but without their care.
At necess I played, and dreamed not then
O the disappointments which blench the hair.

Oh, he old gray shed by the barn-yard wall,
The sweetest thoughts can yet recall.
The pitchfork made a delightful wife,
Of a upright carriage but free from strife.
And what stores I kept, now lost a debt.
In it e cart I slept, and would do it yet
If time could make me again a boy.
But he old gray shed is decayed and gone,
Wh s I am gray and wrinkled and worn,
Then looking forward, I now look back
On a rough and stormy and crooked track.
But t way in the distance I catch the gleam
Of he beacon which lighted my path thro' life.
And would that heaven was but a dream
If childhood's joys all free from strife.
Norway, Me.

Have a Sandwich?

BY ALMA PENDEXTER HAYDEN.

"Well, I don't know," says Uncle Sam,
"I'm what to do about it;
Perha is it might be full as well
To g along without it.
"Very kind, I thank you,
But ten, there comes the question,
Whether would be the proper thing
To lo ip out our digestions?
"The s ndwich looks all right, but there's
Cons derable to swallow,
With l ly o'Hilary sauce,
And ide dishes to follow.
"We're all first-rate at our house now,
Migh be a little hasty
To mix up good old yankee feed,
With his new foreign pastry.
"We don't want cramps and colic,
We're healthy, strong and able,
So, for he present, think we'll leave
This sandwich on the table."—[Bulletin.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Daffodils.

Daffodil s under the snow,
Accept his morning
Fo your adorning
A wreath of my twining.
Daffodil white as the driven snow,
Do you ed not the winter,
The cold, cruel winter,
Th t stingeth us so?
Wh o covereth thee
As the colors you wear,
So softly you slumber
Incased I do not wonder,
Are you not dead, or dying?
Ah, wha if ere the wild roses blow
I find you dead under the snow,
The re'll not be then wonderment
Thi morn at my tremblement,
For O, well I know,
Yor have life and may die.
God hol th thee flower in his keeping.
This day s the day of thy sleeping,
Hap y the day of thy dying,
And the wind o'er the sighing,
Is fo Nature's child sighing,
As s ul for souls crying.
He can k p you there
Flower cl d in his care
If you chi t to death in your slumber.
To him 'tw ll be darling no wonder,
He knows if life at thy fountain
Will come rushing, come rushing and mounting,
When spr ng the awakens returneth,
If the con on thine altar hath smouldered,
The life s ark of lovely hath smouldered.
He can ita it to flame in the Springtime,
And for ne ed in the beautiful Spring time
Thou will lower for him thy Creator.
Daffodils, daffodils under the snow,
Man "what isa" I know
Awai your returning.
When a trials are burning
Across of the white sheeses,
Daffodils, daffodils, long they to see you,
To call to a her lower Persephone's flower,
Their lone thoughts to lift
With reams of thy beauty.
Thou west daffodil.
DANA HARLOWE.

"I was de f for a year, caused by catarrh in the head, but was perfectly cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla." H. Hicks, Rochester, N. Y.

MASON.

Florence Lovejoy is working for Mrs. F. I. Bean

Peter O hischong has gone to Norway to work in the shoe shop.

Charles B Brown is able to ride out.

Mrs. C. F Brown's father visited her recently.

Mrs. Milford Brown has been very sick with heart trouble.

Rev. H. S. Peare, who has filled the Methodist pulpit for the past three years, has left for his new field at East North Yarmouth.

Merton Bean has had to undergo another painful operation on his foot. The doctor lanced it twice Sunday without his taking e her.

OXFORD.

Wm. Gammon has been confined to the house with erysipelas.

John Smith plowed a piece of land and sowed it to peas last week.

There were twenty-five tickets to the Old Homestead ordered Friday.

Schools commenced Monday, the Primary taught by Mrs. Nellie M. Durrell, Oxford; Intermediate by Ina Rounds, Danville, and the High school under the instruction of F. E. Hanscom, Poland.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Building in Maine.

The outside world, at least that part of it which lies outside New England, has little comprehension of the great business and industrial activity which is now to be found throughout the State of Maine. The great commonwealth has had a new birth, and instead of remaining one of the least developed, it is rapidly becoming one of the most productive States in the Union.

At what rate this progress is going on is well illustrated by the Bangor Industrial Journal, which, with its characteristic enterprise, made a complete survey of the field, and published in a recent issue a detailed account of the building operations in progress and in prospect in all parts of the State. This special number was increased to double the ordinary size of the paper, was handsomely illustrated, and in every way a credit to the State and to industrial journalism. It lays emphasis upon the fact, which will not at all surprise our readers, that in no other year in the history of the State were so many and so costly buildings erected as were built last year.

The buildings erected of a public character, which will add both to the permanent value and to the attractiveness of the State as a place of residence, were very noticeable. Among the more important completed last year were the city hall at Lewiston, which cost $225,000; the custom house at Eastport, which cost $118,000, and the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary at Portland, built at a cost of $80,000, while the new season will see work begun upon the Bangor city hall, costing $100,000, the Lewiston postoffice, $75,000, the Young Men's Christian Association building at Bath, $40,000, and the Camden town hall, $35,000. Besides these structures, beautiful and substantial town halls and other public buildings have been erected in Orono, Rockland, Wilton, North Anson, Hartland, Robinston, Bethel and in numerous other towns and villages. Magnificent public library buildings have been completed or are in progress of construction at Saco, Brighton, Machias and Calais, while similar, though in some cases less expensive edifices, will be built during 1893 in Berwick, Westbrook, Gorham and Eastport. Plans are also being discussed for libraries in Bangor, Augusta, Richmond, Rockland and Vinalhaven.

Attention has been given to the educational as well as to the literary needs of the State, and the colleges, scientific institutions and public schools with which Maine is so liberally supplied have had in many instances large additions made to their equipments. Many stone and wood. en churches have been erected, and business blocks, many of them of great size and admirable architecture, have sprung up in all the towns and cities with a rapidity that seems almost incredible. There has been made also a noticeable and important increase in the accommodations of the summer resorts along the coast and inland, showing evidently that the many attractions of the State as a summer home are becoming more and more appreciated. Private residences have been built almost without number. The handsome designs and the commodious appointments of these dwellings, as a rule, will attest the prosperity that is everywhere felt throughout the commonwealth.

It is industrially, however, that Maine is making the greatest strides, and, in fact, it is by progress in this direction that the development which we have already mentioned was rendered possible. We have already called attention to the phenomenal growth of the textile industries in Maine last year. It will be remembered that of the 888 new woolen looms started in the United States last year Maine alone contributed 326, or nearly one-third, and that it also showed a large increase in the number of its cotton spindles. During the year the new plush mill at South Poland was also completed, and is now in successful operation. Among the other great manufacturing concerns which have erected plants, or are on the point of doing so, are a pulp and paper company at Winslow, which has its mill nearly completed, a similar company at Rumford Falls, whose mill is well under way, and in the latter town a company which is to erect a big sulphite pulp mill, the contracts for which have already been signed. The pulp mill at Orono, destroyed by explosion last summer, is almost rebuilt. Other paper and pulp mills are also to be erected, plans for which have not yet been matured. The condensed milk factory at Newport proved such a success that other factories have been built, while in the canning industry factories are springing up almost everywhere.

Although many sections of the United States have had more wonderful growths, it has been seldom, if ever, in our history that a whole State has before given evidence of such symmetrical, rapid and thoroughly sound development as that now in progress in the State of Maine.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

The Norwegians Observe.

That, all are waiting for Old Sol to drink the surplus moisture. Then outside business will rush.

That, this is the farmers' harvest and the housekeepers' iconoclast.

That, no brick can be bought for love or money, and we shall have to walk on gravel sidewalks for a few months longer.

That, the sidewalks were made for bicycles and streets for teams. The pedestrians have a sort of "go as you please," "get where you can" time of it.

That, the finest place to hitch a team is on a crossing when the mud is the deepest. Few can jump over the team and fewer like to go round it.

That, the electric road may materialize.

That, this is the season for new hats and bonnets of gorgeous tints, and new gowns; also for the replenishing of the gent's wardrobe.

That, the boats are being prepared for the coming grand opening on Lake Pennesseewassee.

STRENGTH AND HEALTH.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c. at Kimball & Williamson's Drug Store.

WILSON'S MILLS.

William Taylor has built a log cabin in the vicinity of the Wool-house and is to clear ten acres of land for F. A. Flint on the lot he purchased of the Lombard heirs.

The crew on Abbott brook are patiently or impatiently as the case may be waiting for water. They have broken up the ice by blasting.

Some of the Canton mills firm have been up settling up for their timber.

School commences at Magalloway Plantation April 24th, to be kept by Mrs. E. P. Kimball of Bethel.

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RUMFORD FALLS.

L. F. Smith, recently of the Kennebec Journal office, has taken charge of the Rumford Falls Publishing Co's office.

Gonya Bros. are building a three story block on Congress Street 22x50 to be finished into a store and tenement overlooking the falls.

L. D. Post of New York, editor and publisher of Paper Mill and Wood Pulp News, has been stopping in town the past few days taking views and writing up the paper mills.

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At the school meeting held in the school house district No. 10, April 21st, the following officers were elected:—Moderator, A. E. Morrison; clerk, H. L. Elliott; agent, Lewis A. Porter. It was then adjourned until 3 o'clock at the Power Co.'s office. It was voted to have two terms of school this summer, one in the old school house and one in some building to be provided by the agent near the Falls. It was voted to build a new school house this season. Garrett Shenck, Chas. A. Mixer, Wm. M. Blanchard were chosen as committee to get plans, select location and report at a meeting to be held at the Power Co.'s office Saturday, April 29th, at 2 o'clock p. m. There are about 125 scholars in the district where there were only 12 last year.

Father Horan held a service in the No. 1 Machine Room at the Paper Mills. He stated that the Catholics hereabouts have already contributed something over four hundred dollars for the building of a church.

John Dozzi, a workman for Everson & Liddle, became entangled in a derrick rope and was thrown into the lower level canal. His wrist was fractured, his under lip torn from the corner of the mouth to the bottom of the chin.

Dixfield citizens to the number of forty or fifty, accompanied by the Dixfield brass band, visited the town on Fast Day.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address

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STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Washington, } ss.

Lucien Rodd of White Hall, N. Y., being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that some years ago he suffered very greatly with insomnia, nervous prostration, and his body was covered with sores, causing him great pain and annoyance. That his head was so covered with sores that he was hardly able to comb or even brush his hair, so great was the pain it occasioned.

That he consulted the local physicians without successful results; that he took quantities of medicine with no benefit whatever; that physicians told him his disease was incurable and he had come to the same conclusion himself, and had made up his mind to go to a hospital and await death.

That just about this time he learned about Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which he began to use. That this remedy entirely relieved and cured him, healed and dried up his sores, enabled him to sleep soundly and comfortably, and restored him to his ordinary vigor and vitality; in short, made a sound and well man of him so that he was fully able to work at his occupation, and has done so since that time.

That he attributes his recovery to Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, as it restored him when everybody

MR. LUCIEN RODD.

and everything else had failed, and he had been given over to go to the hospital and die.

Mr. Rodd makes this statement voluntarily and cheerfully out of sincere gratitude for what the remedy has wrought for him.

LUCIEN RODD

Subscribed and sworn before me this 15th day of January, A. D. 1893, and I certify the affiant to be a credible and reliable person, whose statements may be accepted with confidence and implicitly relied upon, having known him personally for the last twenty-five years, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, immediate or remote in this matter.

{SEAL} HON. WILLIAM H. TEFFT, Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing at Whitehall, where this d position was taken and executed.

Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is purely vegetable, and is sold by druggists for $1.00. As is proven by the wonderful cure of Mr. Rodd, it is the very best spring medicine possible to take for the blood, nerves, liver, kidneys, etc. It is the discovery and prescription of Dr. Greene, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., the most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases.—The doctor can be consulted free, personally or by letter.

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No More Passes.

The management of the Grand Trunk have issued orders that no passes will be issued to anyone between the first of May and the first of October, and that employes who have hitherto been carried for half-fare must pay full fare during that time.

This course has been made imperative on account of the largely increased business which the company anticipates during the World's Fair, and on account of the reduction in local fares.

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W. C. T. U.

A DRINKER'S BRAIN.—"I was present at the autopsy of a noted old 'rounder' of my town a few weeks ago," said John A. Holliday of Troy, N. Y., to a St. Louis Globe-Democrat writer at the Lindell, "and I was startled and shocked at what I saw. The dead man was about 60 years old, and had been the town drunkard for 40 years. The doctors had surmised that when they cut his head open a pronounced smell of alcohol would issue from the skull.

"I thought it only one of those grim sort of jokes that the Æsculapians indulge in sometimes when they are carving a fellowman to mince meat in the interest of their science. But I soon learned that it was no joke, for when the surgeon's saw had cut off the man's skull the odor of alcohol that filled the room was strong enough to almost sicken one. Then one of the surgeons struck a match and held it close to the brain.

"Immediately a blue flame enveloped the entire portion of the cerebral organ exposed, and the quivering flesh sizzled as if on a gridiron. That experiment and disclosure set me very seriously thinking about the terror of my ways. I am not a temperance lecturer nor a Prohibition politician, but I must most respectfully and firmly decline your invitation to have something. I don't want my brain to float around in a sea of alcohol as did that of the poor old town drunkard of Troy. There is no telling how many other men's brains will reveal the same condition if an autopsy is held upon them."

WHY DON'T THEY DO SOMETHING.—We can find a man even enough who can tell you in long detail what is wrong with our country is the drink evil. About every three men in four in town deplore the whole practice of selling and drinking intoxicants. They emphatically assert that it is all evil and evil continually. Why do they not do something then? How many of these who are so intelligently convinced on the subject are doing anything for temperance? What is the matter with the Yankee enterprise and pluck when it comes to this most important question? They can do anything they set out to do on other lines, but hereby utter the Turk's "Kismet" "it is fate." "Nothing can be done," and so do nothing. A good many men are not very brave after all. It is to be hoped that the Loyal Legion will train up a community of nobles bloods.

"GIVE ME A DRINK."—"There's my money—give me a drink! There's my clothing and food and fire of my wife and children—give me a drink! There's the education of the family and the peace of the house—give me a drink! There's the rent I have robbed from my landlord and innumerable articles I have filched from shopkeepers—give me a drink! Pour me out a drink and yet more—I will pay for it.

"There's my health of body and peace of mind; there's my character as a Christian, I give up all—give me a drink! More yet I have to give! There's my heavenly inheritance and the eternal friendship of the redeemed, there, there is all hope of salvation. I give up my God! I give up all that is great and good and glorious in the universe! I resign all forever that I may be drunk!

A man makes through a New York paper this proposition: "Gather up all the money that the working classes have spent for rum during the last thirty years and I will build for every man a house, lay out for him a garden, and secure for him a policy of life insurance, so that the present home may be well maintained after he is dead. The most persistent and cruel enemy of the working classes is intoxicating liquors. Yet how many working men will stand in defense of the rumsellers who rob and destroy them."

David A. Wells, the statistician, says that $10,000,000,000 have been wasted during the last 40 years in whiskey and other intoxicants. Ten billion dollars! Consider the better prosperity that would have accrued to the neediest classes if all that money could have gone into legitimate use.

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Why fill a store with goods, and then keep dark about it? It costs money every day and every hour to carry a stock of goods. Let the public know what you have to sell. Interest the people—attract them—do not allow them to forget you, or your crowded shelves. Turn on the lights, especially the brilliant, steady and far-reaching light of advertising.

HARRISON.

In anticipation of the coming of cholera to this place, having a slight touch already, we hope the board of health has issued an official notice called upon owners and occupants of buildings to remove all decaying animal and vegetable matter and rubbish from their premises immediately, and to clean out thoroughly all vaults and cess-pools.

George Ellingwood has purchased the house on Grove St. owned by V. Carsley and moved there.

George Flint, as we are informed, has purchased the Mrs. Harvey house of Willis Libby and will move as soon as Andrew Jordan vacates.

A. Jordan will move to Mrs. O. Whitney's house as soon as Mrs W. moves to one of her other houses.

C. Martin has moved to the Dudley house near Hon. P. Tolman's.

The dressmaker Cutter has returned from Worcester, where she has been visiting relatives.

Charles Sanborn injured one of his hands while operating a saw at Brown's mill, North Bridgton.

Harrison Brass Band will give a ball, May night, at Town Hall, proceeds going towards their new band suits.

Two new chairs are deposited in the old tumble-down house near Sprague (Keen's for some unknown reason for a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Doughty have taken rooms on Front St. at M. Thomes' house.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kean have moved to East Baldwin.

News is on the gain but we forbear until another week.

We noticed Mrs. Dea. Blake out to church on Sunday.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA. ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

WEST STONEHAM.

Quite cold weather the past week followed by a snow storm Friday and Saturday.

J. J. McAllister of North Stoneham did not run his mill last week on account of the sickness of himself and some of his hands.

Quite a number in this vicinity have been sick with severe colds the past week.

David McKeen who has been sick for some time has recovered so as to be out some.

Snow still lingers and it is fearful traveling.

Walter McKeen has finished work for J. J. McAllister and is at home now.

One day last week as Mrs. J. C. Sawyer was in the kitchen engaged in her household tasks her son Linwood was in the sitting room loading a gun. When he went to put the cap on the hammer went down and the gun went off but fortunately no harm was done beyond tearing off a small portion of plastering over head and frightening Mrs. S. quite badly.

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HANOVER.

Mrs. Gilbert Mitchell of Milan, N. H., is visiting her relatives here.

Elmer E. Howe made a trip to Portland last week.

Solon Putnam has his incubator completed and his eggs are now placed in it. We hope he will have good success.

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EAST OTISFIELD.

C. C. Davis has been to Lewiston and hired two Frenchmen, who are cutting cord wood on the Lyman Gerry place.

Aunt Sarah Scribner, who has been so sick, is now able to sit up.

Lewis Jordan and his two sons are all confined to the house with the measles, also Aunt Nellie Scribner has been quite sick at the same place.

A. L. Wardwell, whose grandmother was Sophronia Lane and died at Poland Corner March 26th, has fallen heir to all her estate as no will has been found.

John Cummings of South Paris, lost a valuable horse last week Friday. The horse was driven to Lewiston, Thursday, and back as far as S. B. Waterman's, Mechanic Falls, when it became so sick as to be unable to go further and where it died the next day.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Historical Notes from Haverhill, Mass.

Going to the library in the church on Summer St. you will pass a marble slab placed upon the edge of the sidewalk. The inscription tells you that the second minister of Haverhill, with his wife and one child were brutally murdered by Indians near the spot.

One year ago I visited Whittier's birthplace, and sat down in the old kitchen by the fireplace so often mentioned in Snow Bound. The homestead has been presented to the Whittier Club of this city.

The hatchet brought back from Pennacook in 1796 by Hannah Dustin is now treasured by a descendant in Vermont. On the road to Merrimac I have noticed one of the block houses erected by Thomas Dustin.

The city hall stands upon the site of "Harod's Inn," the headquarters of Washington during his stay in this vicinity. He crossed the Merrimac into Bradford and from thence went to Andover, stopping at "Abbott's Tavern."

About ninety years ago, my grandmother, then a young girl, by the name of "Mary Sargent," in company with her mother and brother came on horseback from Portland to Haverhill to visit her grandmother, "Mary Sargent" as the name is several times recorded in the History of Haverhill.

There are many Sargents in the city to-day, descendants of the old time "Sergent" family.

ALMA PENDEXTER HAYDEN.

Land Conveyances.

EASTERN.

J. F. STANLEY, Register, Paris, Me.

ANDOVER.—S. E. Adams to W. F. Lovejoy, $2000; E. H. Cram to M. I. Wood, Cram, 1.00.

BETHEL.—L. M. Mann to W. E. Mann, $2000; same to same, 500; A. Pike to H. C. Watson, 1 00; J. S. Swan to O. E. Swan, 150; E. C. Farwell et al. to J. S. Swan et al., 1000.

CANTON.—G. S. Blanchard to H. R. Beals, $300.

DIXFIELD.—G. L. Smith to W. S. Newman, $1200; W. S. Newman to F. Weld, 1300.

HEBRON.—A. O. Corbett et al. to L. W. Whitman, 900.

MEXICO.—G. W. Ridlon to J. Bulter $200.

OXFORD.—L. Andrews to N. Paine, $1000.

PARIS.—C. E. Wilson to F. L. Dow, $450; A. E. Walker et al. to G. H. Proctor, 1.00; M. W. DeCoster et al. to J. Bennett et al., 1400.

RUMFORD.—S. P. Howe to J. E. Elliott, $100; R. F. P. Co. to G. Schenck, 1.00.

WOODSTOCK.—W. Day to R. Whitman, $900.

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that would not yield to any treatment. My stomach was also very weak. I suffered badly and was hardly able to get around, when I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began to improve slowly until after I had taken some 10 or 12 bottles, I considered myself well once more. I take a bottle occasionally now so as to be sure and keep my blood in good condition, that there may be no return of my trouble. I
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recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to my friends. It did me so much good that it seems as if it must do others so good." MRS. CHRISTINA TEMPLE, Bangor, Me.
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Two or three good farm Horses.
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LOUKE'S MILLS.

The Current Events Club met at M. E. Cole's, Wednesday evening, April 26th. The following was the program

Music.....Ama e Stowell
Recitation, "The Execution of Mona".....Cora Brown
Notes on Butler.....W. R. Pearsons
Song.....Nettie A. Young
Notes on Hayes.....C. E. Abbott
Current Events.
Notes on Phillips Brooks.....Ama e Stowell
Select Reading.....Dorothe Carr
Notes on Blaine.....Carl E. Morton
Music.
Adjournment.

The next meeting will be at E. L. Tebbets, May 10th. These meetings are well attended and the programs are of a high order.

Chas. Buck has moved on to J. D. George's farm on Bird Hill.

Green Bacon has moved to West Paris.

Mrs. Archie L. Green has been very sick the past week but is better now.

Rev. Mr. Crockett of Canton, has been here the past week visiting friends.

The blacksmith shop is now open. Mr. Coolidge comes here well recommended.

Business is looking up at the spool mill.

Mattie Tracy is to teach the village school this spring.

Jennie Coffin is to teach at Shadagee. This will be her fifth term in that district.

A. C. Libby has sent in his petition for the postoffice.

The roads in the village are getting dry and Perry Farrington is beginning to drive his colts. It will be hard to find a stable containing a better lot of colts than that of O. F. Farrington.

WEST FRYEBURG.

Abbie Towle and Kate Hutchins commence teaching May 1st.

The Sterling Literary Club was invited by the Woman's Library Club to their annual banquet last Friday, April 27th. They had a very fine program in the afternoon. A bountiful supper was served, after which some interesting toasts were given and ably responded to. The President of the Maine State Federation was present, entertaining them with her very pleasing manners and able remarks.

J. W. Towle had the last turn off of the season. The bait, the lame and blind were standing over the steaming syrup all with wooden paddles, when room was made for one more, Hon. Charles Philbrooks. He made fun enough for them with his witty remarks, keeping the syrup from making them sick.

WEST BETHEL.

Mrs. Alfreda Farwell and daughter have returned home from Gorham, N. H.

J. E. Pike has purchased a small barn which he will soon move to his buildings.

Tom Kendall of Bethel, was in this village last week doing some plastering for Geo. Harden.

A. S. Bean has a crew driving short spruce on Pleasant river.

Ausina Pike recently had a very bad spell caused by a heart trouble.

The village school commenced last Monday.

Fred Ordway lost one of his best sheep recently. It got into the brook and was drowned.

Thadeus Luxton recently cut his leg quite badly. He has not been able to work since.

Several of the farmers in this vicinity have had to buy hay.

Mrs. Mary M. Bell has recently purchased a house lot of Mrs. J. E. Pike. She expects to build a house on the lot soon.

It is reported that John Richards will soon move to Norway.

Lula Fletcher has got complete control of her bicycle, so she can ride quite fast.

Adrian Grover was seen last Monday morning going through the village on his way to school. His looks and manners represented that he was bound to learn. He is a smart and active boy of his age.

I would like to know if the ones that so much fuss about this ridiculous dog law ever owned a dog. The idea that a person cannot keep a little pet dog about as big as a cat without paying $1.15. I think it very wrong such a privilege be taken from a little girl or boy who think so much of their little pet dog and have to kill it or pay license. If a man is able to keep a dog big enough to kill sheep he is able to pay the bill for the same, if he will not, then kill the dog. I think there should be some distinction made between a little pet dog and a big bull dog, if not, why not license cats for they sometimes catch their neighbors' chickens, which has been the case several times in this vicinity.

GREENWOOD.

The assessors have been at work doing town business at E. W. Penley's the past week.

Mamie Verrill is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Richardson.

E. W. Penley recently lost a valuable yearling colt by getting choked in the stall.

Mellen Cooper and wife are at work in the shoe shop at Norway.

At the annual school meeting in district No. 5 held April 12th, Asa Packard was chosen agent.

Ed Morgan, who has been very sick, is some better at this writing.

Fannie Brooks is to teach the summer term of school at Greenwood city.

Wilbur Yates has gone to Freeport to work this summer.

Stephen Needham is some better at this writing.

Ella Swan has returned home from Paris, where she has been at work.

Mrs. Lettie A. Pease from Litchfield, is visiting her mother, Mrs. O. G. Swan.

School in district No. 4 begins Monday, the 8th, taught by Lena Felt.

HEBRON.

The funeral of H. M. Everett occurred at the church last Friday at 2 p. m.

Rev. Horace Marshall has been spending a few days with his relatives in Hebron. He supplied the pulpit last Sunday.

Schools in districts 6 and 7 commenced Monday. No. 6 is taught by Rose Austin of South Paris, and No. 7 by Agnes Bearce of Hebron.

On May day the Hebron Grangers met on the site of their new Grange hall and commenced work on the cellar and foundation. On account of the rain work was suspended during the afternoon. When the ladies of the Grange announced that dinner was waiting for them in the old hall, twenty men were ready to partake of it and found it an excellent dinner.

Rev. Dr. Crane went to Norway, Sunday to speak to the students of the Norway High School.

Mrs. Chase and Mrs. Sarah Howe are quite sick.

HARRISON.

What is said of Harrison band when it plays the new pieces just received. It makes the blood course through the body with a new vigor and helps all to speak proudly of their boys. There is something inspiring in the power and conducting of this new band.

We are not going to tell this week, for lack of information, of what happened to V. Jordan's team on Wednesday near the cove. The consequence was the carriage was left at the blacksmith's for repairs.

The ice seems fast getting thin on the lakes, nearly out of the cove.

Mrs. Percie Bailey was dressed in a fashionable attire on Sunday and looked nice for a young bride.

Mrs. John Woodsum is in poor health from rheumatism.

We are sorry to say Marshall Jordan is confined to his bed from the third attack of neuralgia. Public sympathy is greatly manifested throughout the village.

Walter Smith is confined to his home from sickness.

[Communication.]

An Opinion Expressed and Information Asked.

To the readers of the ADVERTISER that are owners of dogs. In my opinion you will not be obliged to take out a license this year. Your dog can safely go on the streets without a collar until 1894. Will some one examine the provisions of the Act as passed at the last session of the Legislature and say whether I am correct or not? C. H. WALKER.

Fryeburg, April 26th.

OXFORD.

Placer Gold will be played at Robinson Hall Saturday evening.

W. Scott Robinson, esq., will deliver a free address on the Keeley Cure May 13.

A telegraphic dispatch announces that "Jeff" Bean has been killed in New Hampshire, and that his body was shipped here Monday.

Joseph Robinson remains about the same. He is a very sick man.

The ADVERTISER will soon publish a series of brief sketches of the schools throughout the town.

Nat Frost was able to ride to the village last week.

W. S. French, H. P. Booker, Cephas Cary and A. S. Fuller are working at Portland Springs this spring.

It should be said in justice to the Boston Globe correspondent's sketch of Abigail Goss Buck of Paris, that he prepared a very long article for the Globe minutely describing her kitchen, costume, mode of life, etc., supplementing it with a visit of a friend to her farm when she was in her prime. Owing to her unexpected death the Globe hastily cut it down and changed it into a biographical sketch, and in so doing what was really two different articles became mixed, causing a confusion of dates. Otherwise the sketch was entirely correct with the possible exception of her genealogy which the correspondent related as Mrs. Buck herself told it to him. The fact that Dr. Lapham should venture to criticise the sketch excited our special wonder. It seems incredible that the author of the Centennial History of Norway, that most fragile of glass houses, should be so rash as to go to throwing stones. Has the good old man lost his senses that he thus rashly provokes a stone throwing contest?

George Hazen has a watch-chain charm which has a remarkable history. A few years ago he lost it while haying in Waterford. A few days later he called upon V. W. Hills at Norway, to buy another, but the first one Mr. Hills showed him was his own charm, which a Waterford man had found. Then Hazen lost it again while plowing and it was turned under the furrow no one knew where. While preparing a bed for a mother potato to bring forth her many-eyed offspring a few days later John Smith dug up the lost charm. While gunning for the bright eyed partridge at another time Mr. Hazen lost it amid the lonely and pathless woods; but some six months later Mr. Gray, while traversing the forest, stubbed his toe against the charm and sent it flying out of the mouldering leaves. Again he lost it in a bush-grown, unfrequented portion of Judge Edward's pasture and the Judge found it the next spring when building fence. It has dropped off into culverts and ditches, slipped under the sputtling waters of the great lake, burrowed into a mole drop in the dark boson of the insensate earth, but always returns to its owner without one tear upon its golden sides, or one blemish upon its shining stone.

Wm. Lombard got the first brook trout of the season this year.

Several families have moved into town during the past month.

A large party went to Lewiston to the "Old Homestead" last Thursday evening.

Frank Lord and wife have gone to Boston. Mr. Lord is not in the best of health.

The roads are getting in very good shape.

Davis B. Wood has gone into the hen business.

NORTH WATERFORD.

News reached here Friday evening of the sad death of George Woodbury of Waltham, Mass., which was caused by being thrown from a wagon. He only lived a few hours. He and his family were for many years residents of this village and were greatly respected by all. His remains were brought to Sweden Saturday, accompanied by his son, Arthur. He was buried Sunday under the auspices of the Odd Fellows Lodge of this village, of which he was a worthy member.

School commences in this village next Monday, taught by Edith Farnum of Norway, who is spoken of very highly.

Our young townsman, Will Saunders, was lately married to a young lady in Washington, D. C., where he has been employed for nearly two years. The best wishes of his many friends follow him.

Samuel Kilborn is in very poor health.

Fred Mosher has had his house nicely repaired and is now in readiness for Charles Chute and family.

T. H. Sawin, Clifford Rice and others have made notable improvements in their buildings.

The ladies' circle will be entertained in the vestry Tuesday afternoon and evening of next week. All are invited.

The youngest child of James Brown, who had been ill for several months, was taken home last Friday morning. Funeral services Saturday afternoon conducted by Rev. C. E. Angell of Norway.

Mrs. C. G. Knight has been on the sick list again for the last two weeks. She is still in very poor health, although somewhat improved.

The ladies are anticipating a fine time at their calico ball, Thursday evening.

GILEAD.

Sick ones are improving. Cold and backward spring weather.

Rand & Tibbetts' mill are done sawing birch for a week or more when they expect about two car loads from Wild river way to finish.

J. W. Bennett's mill is running on birch. They will finish about June 1.

A. S. Hodgman is building him a house below his store, Asa Bennett, Edson Lary and Seth Bemis, carpenters. They are rushing it right along.

The G. T. R. men are putting in the foundation for the new depot. It is to be 19x39, I understand, with cellar and furnace heated. Carpenters are here unloading lumber and tearing down the old woodshed and car house. It will be a great treat to Gilead to have all these improvements, for which we are very thankful that the G. T. R. after so long a time has concluded to grant us better accommodations.

May Ball to-night. Owing to the rain we don't think they will have a very good attendance.

School commences, we understand, in this district, No. 4, next Monday, May 8. We earnestly hope we may have a good school and all the scholars will go and work with their teacher, who is, we hear, to be an ex-teacher in this town, Amy Atherton of Bethel.

Phelman Harriman, who has been a resident of this town for a number of years, has moved to Cumberland Mills.

C. H. Bennett is to build him a stable near his stand, M. F. Conner, carpenter.

May Ball postponed until Wednesday, May 3, on account of the rain.

BRYANT'S POND.

Our little village is saddened by the death of Augustus Mountfort, one of its most respected citizens, which occurred last Friday. He was an honest, upright man, loved and respected by all and will be greatly missed. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Grace, who has been in Massachusetts for the past year or two, but came home last week to be with her father in his last sickness. The family have the earnest sympathy of the community.

Lena Felt has engaged to teach the school at the foot of Young Hill in Greenwood. Oneida York has engaged the school in the Whitman district.

Charles Whitman is recovering from typhoid fever.

Ed Pike's little girl is quite sick with croup.

Maple syrup season is over and some have commenced plowing but the ground is too wet.

Granville Felt sowed peas last week.

Many are short of hay in this town.

J. E. Hathaway has sold his steers to D. P. Curtis of West Paris.

J. H. Jones of Welchville, was in town last week looking after veal calves.

CANTON.

Postmaster Holt and wife and W. K. DeCoster and wife went to Lewiston the 26th to see the "Old Homestead." They report it excellent.

J. W. Bicknell is giving his house a coat of new paint.

Harry Douglass has moved into the Childs house. He didn't like at Rumford Falls.

Section Foreman Glines says the frost leaves the R. R. the roughest that he ever knew it to, and, your correspondent can vouch for that for he rode over the road the 27th. We will excuse them this time for they are doing all they can to remedy it.

Miss A. C. Bicknell is having a hard wood floor laid in her millinery store.

Measles are in town. H.

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FRYEBURG.

Mrs. Hannah Stark from Portland is visiting at Miss Osgood's on Portland street.

W. H. Tarbox was home from Boston over Sunday.

Stewart Bradley from Chicago is stopping with his sister at Miss Page's.

J. C. Gerry was in town Monday.

Thomas Charles began his school in West Fryeburg Monday.

School in district No. 2 began Monday with Alice Locke as teacher.

Mrs. Wormwood and children are visiting at her father's in Kezar Falls.

Work was begun on Dr. Gordon's house this week.

Miss George from Bartlett called on her friends in town last Wednesday.

Mrs. S. E. Osgood and daughter from Portland visited at Mrs. Osgood's on Main St. last week.

The funeral services of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Abbott of Jackson were held in the New Church Monday afternoon conducted by Rev. Mr. Stone. The singing was very prettily rendered by a choir of little girls.

NORTH RUMFORD.

The ice went out the Androscoggin at the Point April 28. Boat put in the 29.

Henry Newton, an old resident of Rumford Point, died on Saturday after a long illness.

Evans Hodgdon of Framingham, Mass., has been in town for a few days.

John Howe has treated his house to a coat of paint.

Frank Howard has gone to the Falls to work with his brother Ellsworth.

Minnie Silver will teach the school on east side Ellis.

Mr. Bagnall of Lewiston lost a valuable mare with her colt on Sunday. The mare was wintered here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Houghton of Byron spent a few days at John Howe's last week.

Andover people will have two mails per day soon, possibly three, as it is an important station.

The roads are becoming passable very soon after the snow.

The Tuttle Bros. we hear intend putting some fine new teams on their route. "Long may they wave," is the prayer of the North Rumford people, for nobody has yet been born who can fill their place.

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NOTICE.

TO ALL PERSONS AND CORPORATIONS:

If appearing that upon the petition of John G. Everett and 97 others to the County Commissioners of the County of Cumberland and the County Commissioners of the County of Oxford praying for location of a highway in the town of Harrison in the County of Cumberland and the town of Waterford in the County of Oxford, the joint Board of County Commissioners of the County of Cumberland and Oxford did adjudge that common convenience and necessity required the location of the following highway, viz.:

Commencing on the westerly side of the Norway road at a point seventy feet and three inches from the north-west corner of the Woodsomus school house on a course of south three degrees east to said corner of said school house; thence north twenty degrees and thirty minutes west six hundred and seventy-seven feet; thence north six degrees and thirty minutes east eight hundred and seventeen feet across land of John Woodsome's heirs to land of Joshua Howard; thence same course eight hundred and three feet; thence north twelve degrees east two hundred and three feet; thence north fourteen degrees east three hundred and thirty-five feet; thence north thirteen degrees and thirty minutes east fourteen hundred and twelve feet; thence north three degrees and thirty minutes east three hundred and fifty-three feet; thence north two degrees west sixty-three feet across Joshua Howard's land to land of Zebulon Abbott; thence same course two hundred and fifty-one feet; thence north thirty minutes west three hundred and twenty-three feet; thence north four degrees thirty minutes east one hundred eighty-five feet; thence north nineteen degrees thirty minutes east three hundred and forty-seven feet; thence north seven degrees west four hundred and three feet; thence north seven degrees and thirty minutes west six hundred and twenty-eight feet; thence north sixteen degrees west eight hundred seventy-five feet to County line of Cumberland and Oxford Counties; thence same course in Oxford County one hundred and sixty-six feet; thence north eight degrees west three hundred and fifty-seven feet; thence north thirty minutes west two hundred and thirty feet; thence north eleven degrees and thirty minutes west three hundred and sixty-seven feet; thence north seven degrees and thirty minutes west three hundred and thirty-six feet; thence north twenty degrees and thirty minutes west six hundred and thirty-nine feet; thence same course one hundred and eighty-two feet; thence north forty degrees west one hundred and forty feet; thence north sixty-four degrees west three hundred and eighty-five feet; thence north fifty-four degrees west three hundred and fifty-five feet; thence north forty-two degrees west two hundred and fifty feet across Chas. S. Whitney's land to land of Chas. Watson; thence same course eighty-six feet; thence north forty-nine degrees and thirty minutes west two hundred and forty-five feet; thence north forty three degrees and thirty minutes west two hundred and thirty feet; thence north sixty degrees west three hundred and thirty-five feet across Watson's land to road known as Deer Hill road, so called; thence commencing back in the County of Cumberland on the above location at point one hundred and sixty-four feet from said line between the County or Cumberland and the County of Oxford; thence running on a course north thirty-two degrees east two hundred and ninety-four feet to county line between said counties; thence same course thirty-six feet; thence north twenty-two degrees east three hundred and thirty-five feet; thence north eighteen degrees and thirty minutes east seven hundred and sixty-four feet; thence north ten degrees and thirty minutes east one hundred and eighteen feet to J. Weeks' land; thence same course on Weeks' land one hundred and thirty-five feet; thence north thirty-three degrees east one hundred and twenty-four feet; thence north nine degrees east three hundred and eleven feet; thence north twenty-four degrees and thirty minutes east two hundred and twenty-seven feet; thence north thirty-nine degrees and thirty minutes east one hundred and sixty-nine feet; thence same course three hundred and twenty-eight feet; thence north nineteen degrees east two hundred and seventy-four feet; thence north thirty-seven degrees and thirty minutes east three hundred and sixty-four feet; thence north thirty-two degrees east two hundred and seventy-seven feet; thence same course three hundred and fifty-four feet; thence north twenty-eight degrees east six hundred and twenty-six feet; thence north twenty degrees east one hundred and eleven feet to land of Geo. A. Miller; thence north sixty-nine degrees east on Miller's land four hundred and fifty-seven feet to Zebulund Abbott's land; thence same course on Abbott's land one hundred and thirty-one feet to Temple Hill road, and in pursuance of said adjudication proceeded to make said location; and it further appearing that Joshua Howard at a term of the Supreme Judicial Court, held at Portland, within and for said County of Cumberland on the second Tuesday of January, A. D. 1893, duly entered his appeal from said adjudication and decision, and that the Justice of said Supreme Judicial Court, holden as aforesaid, duly appointed the undersigned a committee to act upon the subject matter of said appeal and to affirm or reverse in part or in whole, said decision and adjudication, notice is hereby given to all persons and corporations interested in the subject matter of said petition of John G. Everett and 97 others that Thursday, the eighth day of June, A. D. 1893, at ten of the clock, A. M., and the school house in what is known as the Woodsum school district in Harrison, have been appointed, by said committee the time and place to act upon the subject matter of said appeal; and for the performance of the service authorized and directed under a commission duly issued in the premises by said Supreme Judicial Court on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1893.

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I then heard of your remedy and told my wife about it.

She decided to try it, and before she had taken half a bottle she felt better. When she had taken two bottles she was gaining fast, and before the third bottle was finished she completely recovered her health, and has been a well woman ever since, and her cure is a wonder to all.

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I was taken sick and my trouble was pronounced Dyspepsia by a physician who relieved me some, but did not cure me. My wife advised me to try Sagwa. I did so and was cured. Soon after that I was attacked with the Grippe and could not get rid of it. Every time I had a cold I was completely used up. At my wife's suggestion I tried Kickapoo Indian Sagwa again, and after using less than two bottles I considered myself entirely well and have remained well ever since. I think I can say that Sagwa is the best remedy that a family can have. In case of Colds there is nothing better that I know of than taking a good dose before going to bed, and my wife says she would not think of keeping house without a bottle of Kickapoo Indian Sagwa. She says it saved her life with the help of Providence, and I can say that under the hand of Almighty God I owe my life to the wonderful medicine of all medicines, the great gift of nature, Kickapoo Indian Sagwa, and all the world should know of its intrinsic worth. Its value as a family remedy is beyond comparison.

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OXFORD, ss:—At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford on the third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893.

On the petition of Edgcomb N. Thorn, praying for the appointment of some suitable person as administrator of the estate of Sally Stuart, late of Brownfield, in the said county of Oxford, deceased;

ORDERED, That notice of the foregoing petition be published for three weeks successively prior to the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1893, in the Oxford County Advertiser, printed at Norway, in said county.

18-20 GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.

A true copy—Attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Reg.

EAST BROWNFIELD.

The snow is quite deep yet in the woods in this vicinity and the mountains look almost as white as in mid winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler of Madison stopped with friends at East Brownfield over Sunday.

Isabelle Stickney entertained the Christian Endeavor Society Wednesday evening.

Alvin Perkins has been chosen superintendent of the Sunday-school.

The school in district No. 1 has been delayed one week on account of sickness among the children. It commenced May 1st, Addie L. Allard teacher.

The schools at the Center which were postponed one week for better traveling, began May 1st. O. A. Morton takes charge of the grammar school and Florence Pike of Cornish the primary.

Rev. Mr. Young of Fryeburg preached at the Cong. church last Sunday.

John Sands has moved into the house recently occupied by Mrs. Cotton and daughter at East Brownfield.

DENMARK.

Mrs. Clara Belcher went Saturday to Lawrence, Mass., to visit friends to be gone a few weeks.

Our schools commenced Monday the 1st. The Center school is taught by Mrs. Carrie Head.

Addie Watson teaches in the Harnden district.

Rev. Mr. Young preached here last Sabbath in exchange with Mr. Wilson. The meetings will be in the church next Sabbath.

Geo. Gray is soon to go to Casco to survey lumber for the Star Match Co. He will survey some two million of feet in the logs.

Mrs. A. H. Witham is in very poor health and is suffering badly from her cancer humor.

Mrs. Ernest Gilman is sick.

Mrs. Jennie Ingalls is in a sad condition. She will soon submit to a surgical operation.

Any one wishing to see a good colt will call at the stable of Rev. Mr. Witham. Two years old in July.

Hay is $20 per ton at the cars.

Geo. Gray has built some nice new fence about his lot and painted the roof of his buildings.

Masons and Odd Fellows have an excursion to Portland this week.

Swan & Gilman have made two very heavy team wagons for a team of six horses each

A. B. Ordway sowed his early peas April 23.

The snow has mostly gone in open land but lots of it in the woods.

Lillian Smith spent Sunday at her father's, C. B. Smith's.

Mildred Bean, supervisor, teaches in district No. 2, commencing May. 1, and Grace A. Smith is teaching in No. 7.

Quite a number of horses and colts have lost a horse all but all are doing well.

J. M Smith who has been quite sick is gaining.

Fred Alexander has bought a corn planter of M. E. Wentworth.

Adrial Wales has got his pension allowed.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Schools in Harrison began May 1st. Miss Hall of Windham teaches in this village, Lelia Stuart teaches at Spurr's Corner, Otisfield, Mrs. Carrie Weston in the Brackett district, Harrison, and Virginia Weston in Fryeburg.

A prayer meeting is held at the Methodist church every Friday evening.

Dr. E. A. Wight has had a fine new boat built which is now on this river. Russell Edwards has sold the boat he recently purchased.

Hattie Andrews has gone to Harrison village to work.

Mrs. Jane Weston is having her house newly shingled.

Jason Scribner has had his house treated to a coat of paint.

Geo. Hancock has had some painting done in the interior of his house.

The dust flies on our streets.

SNOW'S FALLS.

The Snow's Falls Electric and Mfg. Co. have erected a derrick and for the past week have been clearing away the ruins, preparatory to building their new mill.

Mrs. Celia Stone intends to move to Boston soon, where two of her sons reside. She will be much missed.

Mrs. F. E. Shaw returned from Mass. last week.

Eldron H. Stearns recently lost an ox, and has purchased one of Isaac Noyes of Greenwood to replace it.

There was a dance at Richard H. Gates' May night.

Little Vernon Robinson, the 7 year old son of Geo. F. Robinson, recently treed a raccoon in an apple tree, with the help of his dog. He dislodged him with a pole, and the dog pitched battle, but was worsted. However, he held the coon at bay while the boy went after a neighbor who came with his gun and ended the affray. Probably Vernie will never experience a prouder moment.

OTISFIELD.

Mrs. R. G. Edwards and Bertha Edwards visited relatives and friends in Topsham recently.

There has been quite a large quantity of maple syrup made in this vicinity this spring.

Ellis Stone is our grocery man. He comes every Friday.

Mayflowers are quite plenty.

We all agree with the Woodstock man as far as dogs are concerned.

Mrs. Daniel Fickett of Casco had her leg amputated last week just below the knee. She has been suffering with it a number of years. Dr. Carolis Cobb of Mechanic Falls and Dr. S. L. Weston of Bolster's Mills performed the operation.

Mel Meserve and wife have moved back on their place. They have been at work the past year for George Andrews.

STOW.

Charles Day has taken the logs on Cold river to drive and has a crew of men at work.

The snow is quite deep in the woods. No planting done yet. Roads are very muddy in places.

Bad colds are the order of the day.

Mrs. Lucy Buford is slowly failing. Mrs. Joseph Wiley is a little better.

Mayflowers have blossomed in spite of the snow.

NORTH NORWAY.

Gilbert Russell has gone to Rumford Falls to work.

Horace Hussey has begun farming, plowed two fields last week.

E. A. Cox is shingling his buildings.

John Hussey has returned from his trip to Lewiston and is now working up R. Town's wood pile.

Messrs. French finished sawing in the shingle mill May 3d.

Oyster supper at Gene Merrill's May night was well attended.

Nathan Small has hired "Si" Heath for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Town have received the pleasing intelligence that they have a granddaughter two weeks old in Tulare, Cal., named Clara Isanna Upton.

Several men are repairing the horse sheds at the Center church.

Norway Municipal Court,

May Term, 1893.

C. F. WHITMAN, JUDGE.

No. 602. J. M. Freeman vs. D. M. Smith. Continued.

Herrick & Park. Kimball & Son

No. 642. C. F. Lord vs. C. I. Fogg. Deft. defaulted.

E. F. Smith.

No. 644. C. F. Lord vs. Joseph Dearborn. Deft. defaulted.

R. F. Smith.

No. 645. George Hyde, et al., vs. John A. Badger. Deft. defaulted.

A. S. Woodman.

No. 646. Louisa G. D. Thayer, ex., vs. Joseph Ratcliff. Deft. defaulted.

H. C. Davis.

No. 647. William H. Warren vs. Levi Frost. Deft. defaulted.

Kimball & Son.

No. 648. T. L. Webb vs. Naphtali Mason. Deft. defaulted.

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No. 649. F. O. Elliott vs. D. W. Lord. Deft. defaulted.

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No. 650. A. M. Tuttle vs. P. V. Everett. Deft. offers to be defaulted for ten dollars and legal costs. Offer to be accepted or rejected by May 20th, '93. Continued.

Tascus Atwood. Bearce & Stearns

Inca, 5767, will make the season of 1893 at Fairmont Farm, Oxford. Those interested will do well to see F. L. Manson. Inca is getting some nice colts which readily sell.

In This Column

next week, we shall publish particulars of a most terrible experience during sixteen years of helpless suffering; the loss of all hope, and how the patient was restored to complete health by Brown's Sarsaparilla. Most remarkable cure ever known in the history of medicine.

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1831 Write for Particulars.

Collector's Notice of Sale.

The resident proprietors of the following tracts of land or real estates in the town of Norway, in the County of Oxford, are notified that the same are taxed in the tax list committed to this subscriber, the collector of taxes for the said town of Norway, for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one; that the taxes assessed on the same remain unpaid; and nine months from the date of the assessment has expired.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

Owners.	Estate Taxed.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.	Unpaid Tax & Interest.
A. J. Crooker,	Homestead,	56	$1,600	$41 60	10 58
" " "	Millett Lot,	91	90	1 19	1 15
Mrs. G. I. Fogg,	Homestead,	85	600	8 40	1 15
Geo. W. Holmes,	Homestead,	2	1,425	19 95	23 21
" " "	John Tucker Store,	1	1,000	14 00	16 28
" " "	Old E. A. Holmes Homestead,	3	1,500	21 00	24 42
J. L. & H. L. Horne,	House & Shop opp. Tannery,	1	475	6 65	7 73
" " "	½ Tucker land, N branch R.	10	300	4 20	4 88
" " "	S. J. Pike farm, Pike's Hill,	90	700	9 80	11 39
" " "	Richards lot, tannery brook,	1	75	1 05	1 22
" " "	Paste Shop, Marston St.,		700	9 80	11 39
" " "	Wm. Young farm,	221	2,000	28 00	32 55
" " "	John Bird farm,	107	600	8 40	9 76